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2018 FALL ACTIVITY GUIDE

Online Registration Begins August 1, 6pm

INCLUDES 2018-19 FALL/WINTER COMPETITIVE SPORTS

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Welcome to the Fall 2018 Activity Guide!

Welcome to the 2018 Fall Activity Guide, your go-to source for programs, classes, sports leagues and special events offered by Howard County's Department of Recreation & Parks.

Whether you are looking to join a sports league, try out a new fitness program, take up a new craft, enhance your cooking skills or anything in between, you are sure to find something fun and enriching with us during the autumn months.

This fall, introduce your child to the great outdoors with an overnight camping trip to Rockburn Branch Park (page 21), come explore the night sky through the Watson Telescope at Alpha Ridge Park (page 13), discover if you have what it takes to be America's next great Ninja Warrior (page 86), kickoff Halloween with a howling good time at Truck or Treat (page 15) or start your holiday shopping at one of our many craft fairs (page 16). With so many exciting programs and events, there is something for everyone, no matter your age.

We hope you take the opportunity this fall to experience all we have to offer and thank you for choosing Howard County as the place where you live, learn, love and play!



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5 EASY WAYS TO REGISTER

Howard County Residents:

Online registration starting August 1 at 6pm

All other methods starting August 2.

Out-of-County Residents:

Online registration starting August 8 at 6pm

All other methods starting August 9.



ON-LINE

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An online account is required and may take up to 48 hours to process.



PHONE

410-313-7275 (8am-4:30pm, M-F)



FAX

410-313-4658



WALK-IN

Howard County Recreation & Parks Headquarters
7120 Oakland Mills Road, Columbia
(8am-4:30pm, M-F)

Gary J. Arthur Community Center
2400 Rte. 97, Cooksville
(7am-8:30pm, M-Sa; 9am-5:30pm, Su)

North Laurel Community Center
9411 Whiskey Bottom Road, Laurel
(8am-8pm, M-Sa; 9am-5pm, Su)

Robinson Nature Center
6692 Cedar Lane, Columbia
(9am-5pm, W-Sa; Noon-5pm, Su)

Roger Carter Community Center
3000 Milltowne Drive, Ellicott City
(6am-10pm, M-F; 7am-10pm, Sa; 7am-9pm, Su)



MAIL-IN

Howard County Recreation & Parks
7120 Oakland Mills Road
Columbia, MD 21046

Is the class you want full? Put your name on the wait list. We try to open new class sections for filled classes.

Please let us know if you have any questions or suggestions — we always like to hear from you.



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Athletic, Community & Nature Centers

- Visit the front desk or call for information about center programs. You can also register in person for any Howard County Recreation & Parks program.
- Children under 16 years old require adult supervision in the facility.
- Those 12-15 years old require adult (over 18 years old) supervision in the facility, except during the after-school TeenZone program (center membership required).
- Inclement Weather/Program Status Line: 410-313-4452.

To see more photos of the centers and playgrounds, visit *Pinterest* /hocorec.



- The Fit4U Package allows you to use our three community centers' fitness facilities and RCCC pool.
- No enrollment fees.
- Center membership included!

Pricing for 13-49 yrs

Annual	6 Months	3 Months	Monthly	Drop-In
*\$300 (R)	\$180 (R)	\$105 (R)	\$40 (R)	\$5/visit
*\$360 (NR)	\$225 (NR)	\$135 (NR)	\$50 (NR)	

*Annual membership equates to \$25/\$30 per month.

Youth Fit4U (3-12 yrs)

Children, enjoy having access to the pool, gymnasium and walking track, while accompanied by a chaperone over 18 years old. Chaperone must have a valid membership or pay the drop-in rate.

Annual	6 Months	3 Months	Monthly	Drop-In
\$85 (R)	\$55 (R)	\$35 (R)	\$15 (R)	\$5/visit
\$105 (NR)	\$70 (NR)	\$45 (NR)	\$20 (NR)	

Additional Information

- 13-15 year olds, at all centers, adult supervision is required and you must complete a mandatory orientation.
- Discounted rates available for two or more memberships purchased at the same time.

Benefits

- Access to the fitness & dance/aerobics rooms at (non-class) times.
- Use of the gymnasium during open and "drop-in" programs.
- Use of the swimming pool at RCCC during drop-in swim times.
- Access to the game rooms at GJACC and NLCC.
- Discounted Center activities and events.

GJACC = Gary J. Arthur Community Center

NLCC = North Laurel Community Center

RCCC = Roger Carter Community Center

R = Resident

NR = Non-Resident



GO50+

Our GO50+ membership packages are designed to enhance the quality of life for the 50+ adult population that lives, works and plays in Howard County.

Live longer, healthier lives... join today!

50+ Centers Membership

Membership includes access to Gary J. Arthur and N. Laurel Community Centers and all Howard County 50+ Centers.

Amenities: Game Room Areas, Gymnasiums, Walking Tracks, Wellness Programs, and Center drop-in activities

Price: FREE

50+ Fitness Membership

Membership includes access to Gary J. Arthur, N. Laurel and Roger Carter Community Centers and all Howard County 50+ Centers.

Amenities: All 50+ Center Benefits, Fitness Rooms, Dance/Aerobics Studio*

Price: Resident, \$75 per year. Nonresident, \$100 per year.

50+ Pool Membership

Membership includes access to Gary J. Arthur, N. Laurel and Roger Carter Community Centers and all Howard County 50+ Centers.

Amenities: All 50+ Fitness Benefits, Pool Access During Drop-in Swim Hours

Price: Resident, \$175 per year. Nonresident, \$225 per year.

* Dance/Aerobics Studio not available at Ellicott City 50+ Center.

Community Center Membership

All patrons entering the facility must have a center membership or pay the daily admission rate, unless they are a participant in a Recreation & Parks program. The center membership gives you access to the three community centers (does not include the fitness room).

Annual (3 yrs+)	\$25 / \$50 (Nonresident)
Card Replacement Fee	\$10
Daily Center Pass	\$5

Drop-In Fun

Children 15 years and under require adult supervision in the facility. Children 12-15 years old require adult supervision in the facility, except during after-school TeenZone program (Center Membership required). For info and to confirm time, call 410-313-0390 (N. Laurel), 410-313-4840 (Gary J. Arthur) or 410-313-2764 (Roger Carter).

Basketball (Family, 16 yrs + & 50 yrs +)

Join other athletes of all ability levels. Games are self-officiated.

Family	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	8-10pm	M
Family	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	7-9am	Su
16 yrs +	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr ₁	7-9pm	M
16 yrs +	N Laurel Comm Ctr	6-7pm	Tu
16 yrs +	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	8-10pm	M
16 yrs +	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	7-10pm	Sa
50 yrs +	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr _{1,2}	9-11am	M,W,F
50 yrs +	N Laurel Comm Ctr	10am-noon	M,W

1 No full-court games at Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr

2 An Office of Aging and Independence program

Billiards (18 yrs +)

Rack'em up and come play some pool!

Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	10am-2pm	Tu
N Laurel Comm Ctr	10am-2pm	Tu

Friday Family Fun Night (Family, All Ages)

It's an open gym for the whole family. Basketball hoops can be lowered for our youngest members. No full court games, so there is space for fun for all.

Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	5:30-7pm	F
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Pickleball (16 yrs +)

Learn and practice your pickleball skills. This sport is fun and combines elements of tennis, badminton and ping pong.

50 yrs +	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr ₂	11am-2pm	Tu, Th
16 yrs +	N Laurel Comm Ctr	9am-noon	W, F

2 An Office of Aging and Independence program

Ping Pong

Are you a menace at table tennis?

16 yrs +	N Laurel Comm Ctr	6-8:30pm	W,Th
16 yrs +	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Noon-4pm	Sa
50 yrs +	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	12:30-3:30pm	Tu
Family	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	7-10pm	F

Swimming at Roger Carter Comm Ctr

Full Schedule: www.howardcountymd.gov/RCCC

Visit Roger Carter's pool to participate in lap swimming in one of our six lap lanes, open swim, or pre-k swim.

Volleyball (Family & 16 yrs +)

Join other athletes of various ability levels. Games are self-officiated.

Family	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	7-10pm	W
Family	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	5-7pm	Sa
Family	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	7-9am	Su
16 yrs +	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	7-9pm	W
16 yrs +	N Laurel Comm Ctr	5:30-7pm	Th
16 yrs +	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	5-7pm	Sa

School-Year Drop-In Programs

Lil' Rascals Recess

Bring your little one indoors to play with a variety of sports equipment, push toys, hula hoops, tunnels, and other gross motor skill activities. *Theme-days and story time on 3rd Thursday of each month at Gary J. Arthur Community Center.*

Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	9-11am	Th
N Laurel Comm Ctr	9:30-11:30am	Tu

MAC Pre-K Drop-In Play *Page 85*

Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Oct 15-Apr 30	9:30am-12:30pm	M,W,F
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TeenZone

Shoot hoops, play billiards, ping pong, and games, or just hang out!

Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	2:30-5:30pm	M-F	12-15 yrs
N Laurel Comm Ctr	2:30-5:30pm	M-F	12-15 yrs
Roger Carter Comm Ctr	2:30-5pm	M-F	11-16 yrs



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HERITAGE PROGRAMS	410-313-1945
MEADOWBROOK ATHLETIC COMPLEX	410-313-1163
NORTH LAUREL COMMUNITY CENTER	410-313-0390
PAVILIONS IN THE PARKS	410-313-4682
ROBINSON NATURE CENTER	410-313-0400
ROGER CARTER COMMUNITY CENTER	410-313-2764



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GARY J. ARTHUR COMMUNITY CENTER

2400 Rte 97, Cooksville, MD 21723

Registration: 410-313-4840

Hours: 7am-9pm, M-Sa; 9am-6pm, Su

Closed: Sep 3, Nov 22-23, Dec 25

Closing at 5pm: Dec 24, Dec 31

www.howardcountymd.gov/GJACC



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NORTH LAUREL COMMUNITY CENTER

9411 Whiskey Bottom Rd, Laurel, MD 20723

Registration: 410-313-0390

Hours: 8am-9pm, M-Sa; 9am-6pm, Su

Closed: Sep 3, Nov 22-23, Dec 25

Closing at 5pm: Dec 24, Dec 31

www.howardcountymd.gov/NLCC



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ROGER CARTER COMMUNITY CENTER

3000 Milltowne Drive, Ellicott City, MD 21043

Information/Rentals/Reservations: 410-313-2764

Hours: 6am-10pm, M-F; 7am-10pm, Sa; 7am-9pm, Su

Closed: Nov 22-23, Dec 25

Closing at 5pm: Sep 3, Dec 24, Dec 31

www.howardcountymd.gov/RCCC

Kiwanis-Wallas HALL

3300 Norbert's Way, Ellicott City, MD 21042

Info: 410-313-2636

Reservations: 410-313-2637

Center Hours: 8am-5pm, M-Th; 8am-4pm, F

Perfect for meetings, trainings and larger events with a banquet capacity of 200 people. Room dividers can partition the facility into three areas.



5001 Meadowbrook Lane, Ellicott City, MD 21043

Info: 410-313-1161

Facility Rental: 410-313-1163

Recorded Info: 410-313-4452

Inclement Weather/Facility Status: 410-313-4452

Gym Hours: 410-313-4452

www.howardcountymd.gov/MAC

The Meadowbrook Athletic Complex (the MAC) is a destination for indoor basketball, volleyball, field hockey, badminton, jump rope and much more! The facility houses 35,000 square feet of unobstructed gymnasium space designed to serve all ages and levels of play.

MAC Early Risers Walking Package

For one low, annual fee, you can use the walking track from 7-9am, M-F.

Info: Matthew Knoerlein, 410-313-1163.

Adults & Youth: \$25

Get Active Package

For one low fee, this membership gives you access to open gym hours at the Meadowbrook Athletic Complex (MAC) and select school gyms (for adults).

Info: Matthew Knoerlein, 410-313-1163.

Fall (Sep-Dec)

Adults: \$69, season; \$25, month

*Also includes select local school gym drop-in basketball and volleyball.

Youth: \$25, season; \$10, month



6692 Cedar Lane, Columbia, MD 21044

Info: 410-313-0400

Facility Rental: 410-313-0400

Center Hours: 9am-5pm, W-Sa;

Noon-5pm, Su

Closed: Mondays, Tuesdays, Nov 23-24

www.howardcountymd.gov/RobinsonNatureCenter

This unique nature center features interactive exhibits, trails, an auditorium, classrooms/meeting rooms, the children's Discovery Room, an outdoor "Nature Place" play area, and the NatureSphere (a state-of-the-art digital planetarium). The nature center offers public programs, field trips, birthday parties, scout programs, LEED tours, room rentals and volunteer opportunities.

Daily General Admission

Adults: \$5

Children (3-17 yrs): \$3

Children (under 3 yrs): Free

Annual and Lifetime Passes

Annual and lifetime pass holders are entitled to complimentary general admission to the nature center, use of its trails, 10% discount in the gift shop, and discounted admission to certain programs. Annual passes expire one year from the date of purchase.

Senior (50 yrs +): \$20 / \$40 (Nonresident)

Student (with valid school ID): \$20 / \$40 (Nonresident)

Individual: \$25 / \$50 (Nonresident)

Family: \$50 / \$100 (Nonresident)

(Family pass includes members of the immediate household.)

Friends of Robinson Nature Center Memberships

Includes an annual pass to the nature center as well as friends-only benefits.

Patron, Supporter, Sustainer and Lifetime passes include some complimentary NatureSphere tickets and guest passes. Please call 410-313-0400 for details.

Patron: \$175 Supporter: \$250

Sustainer: \$500 Lifetime: \$1,000

Field Trips

We offer year-round field trip programming for all ages. Programs may be booked Wednesday-Sunday during our hours of operation. Field trips last between 1½ and 3 hours and range between \$9 and \$15 per participant.

Rentals

Robinson has two classroom spaces, an auditorium, an outdoor patio space and the NatureSphere planetarium for birthday parties, meetings and special events. Wedding packages are available. Applicants must be at least 21 years.



Check out our 360-degree views online at www.howardcountymd.gov/rap. Look at the amenities, features and surroundings of the space before reserving for smoother planning. Park pavilions and meeting rooms are a great place to hold a birthday party, corporate event, large family gathering, school picnic, or other special occasion.

Pavilion & Facility Rentals

Information/Reservations:

410-313-4682 or www.howardcountymd.gov/pavilions

*For North Laurel Park Pavilion: 410-313-0390

Park/Pavilion Name	Fee (resident/non-resident)
Alpha Ridge Park Pavilion 1 & 2	\$170 / \$205
Centennial Park Pavilion A, B & C	\$165 / \$200
Centennial Park Pavilion D	\$395 / \$430
Centennial Park Pavilion E, F & G	\$165 / \$200
Centennial Park Pavilion H	\$990 / \$1,025
Centennial Park Pavilion O	\$170 / \$205
Cedar Lane Park East Pavilion	\$355 / \$385
Cedar Lane Park West Pavilion	\$440 / \$475
Guilford Park Pavilion	\$170 / \$205
Hammond Park Pavilion	\$170 / \$205
High Ridge Park Pavilion	\$300 / \$330
Meadowbrook Park Hawksview Pavilion	\$385 / \$420
*North Laurel Park Pavilion	\$330 / \$365
Rockburn Branch Park Pavilion	\$250 / \$280
Savage Park Pavilion	\$365 / \$395
Waterloo Park Large Pavilion	\$170 / \$205
Waterloo Park Small Pavilion	\$145 / \$175
Western Regional Park Pavilion 1	\$220 / \$255
Western Regional Park Pavilion 2 & 3	\$170 / \$205
Western Regional Park Pavilion 4 & 5	\$385 / \$420

Ellicott City Colored School, Restored: 410-313-0420

Gary J. Arthur Community Center: 410-313-4840

North Laurel Community Center: 410-313-0390

Patapsco Female Institute Historic Park: 410-313-0420

Pfeiffer's Corner Schoolhouse: 410-313-4682

Robinson Nature Center: 410-313-0400

Roger Carter Community Center: 410-313-2765

Schooley Mill Activity & Conference Rooms: 410-313-4682

Waverly Mansion: 410-437-5711

Historic Howard County Sites

- Howard County Recreation & Parks Heritage staff offer a variety of educational programs, special events and tours at historic buildings and parks. Some historic sites are available for rent to hold meetings, social occasions and art performances.
- For more information about these sites, visit www.howardcountymd.gov/HistoricalSites.
- To see more photos, visit [Pinterest](#) [#hccorec](#)

Baltimore & Ohio Ellicott City Station Museum

A National Historic Landmark, the B&O Railroad Station in Ellicott City is the oldest surviving railroad station in the United States. Completed in 1831, the station served as the terminus of the railroad's original 13-mile section of track. In service until 1972, the station is now a living history museum offering programs and exhibits that explore the development of transportation in America and the station's role in historical events of the 19th and 20th centuries. Free admission, call for hours of operation. Info: 410-313-0420. 2711 Maryland Avenue, Ellicott City, MD 21043 (intersection of Main St. and Maryland Ave. in the Historic District)

Belmont Manor & Historic Park

This pristine setting is one of Howard County's most beautiful sites. This 68-acre natural setting includes an 18th century manor, historic outbuildings, a cemetery, aqua garden, carriage house, and original barn. Belmont Manor is a great venue for weddings, special events, fundraisers, and meetings. Event rentals include the use of the Manor House, tent, gardens, and grounds.

Rental tours are held multiple times each month.

Info: 410-313-0200 or www.belmontmanormd.org.

6555 Belmont Woods Road, Elkridge, MD 21075

Blandair Farm

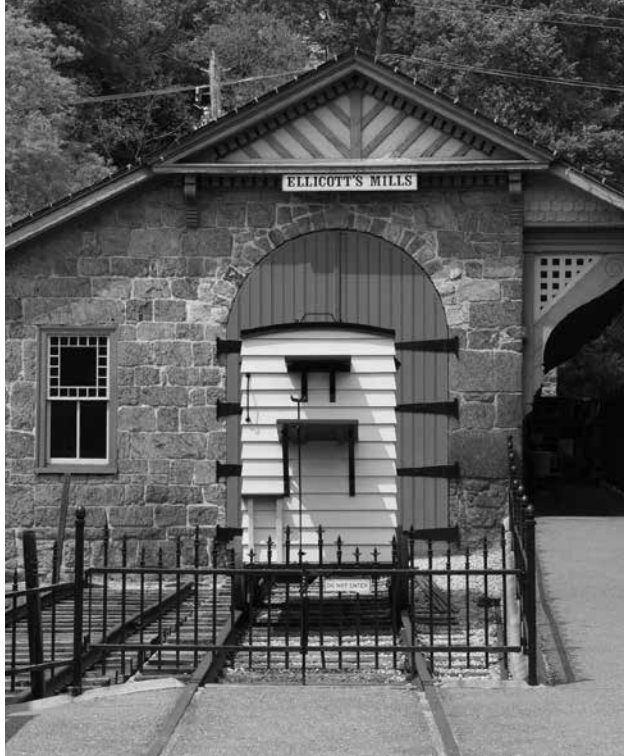
Blandair takes its name from Theodorick Bland, a colorful figure in early Maryland politics. He served as Chancellor of Maryland from 1824 until his death in 1846. While the property was farmed as early as 1798, most of the existing buildings date from the mid-19th century, and include a granary, a springhouse, some tenant houses and the brick main house. Howard County purchased the property in 1998 is developing the site as a regional park. While public access to Blandair is limited during restoration, occasional heritage programs are held there. The farm was also the site of the 2003 International Preservation Trade Conference.

6651 Route 175, Columbia, MD 21044

Bollman Truss Bridge

The Bollman Truss Bridge is the only known remaining example of the revolutionary all-iron truss system patented by Baltimore engineer Wendell Bollman in the mid-19th century. Constructed in 1869, the bridge was moved to its current site in 1888 and was in use until 1915. Designated a National Historic Landmark in 2000, it is now utilized as a pedestrian bridge connecting Historic Savage Mill with the Mill Trail, a walk linking old mill sites along the Patuxent River.

8650 Foundry Street, Savage, MD 20763



Baltimore & Ohio Ellicott City Station Museum

Ellicott City Colored School, Restored

This one-room schoolhouse was constructed in 1880 as the first school built with County funds for African-American children in Howard County. In use as a school until 1953, the building was re-purchased by the County in 1995 and restored with the assistance of private and public funding. The building is set up like a rural classroom of the early twentieth century and houses rotating exhibits about local African-American families who contributed to the history of the area. Tours are offered on Saturdays and Sundays from 1-4pm from May through December. Private and group tours are available year round, weather permitting. Info: 410-313-0420.

8683 Frederick Road, Ellicott City, MD 21043

Firehouse Museum

Located in the County's first firehouse, the Firehouse Museum houses a wide array of fire apparatus, model toys and an impressive visual history of Howard County's Volunteer Fire Department. The firehouse was constructed by volunteers in 1889. Open Saturday and Sunday from 1-4pm, May through December. Private and group tours are available year-round, weather permitting. Info: 410-313-0420.

3829 Church Road, Ellicott City, MD 21043

Patapsco Female Institute Historic Park

The Patapsco Female Institute was a refined academy for young women from 1837-1891. It went beyond the scope of a finishing school with a rigorous curriculum including math and science, a rarity for girls in the Victorian Era. The building lived many successive lives including a hotel, summer theatre, nursing home and private residence before a period of vacancy that led to its deterioration. Today, the stabilized ruins of the Greek Revival structure are open for tours and serve as a captivating setting for special events, weddings, birthday parties, camps and open-air theatre. Tours offered on most Saturdays and Sundays from 1-4pm, May through November. Private and group tours are available year-round, weather permitting. Info/Rental Inquiries: 410-313-0420.

3655 Church Road, Ellicott City, MD 21043



Patapsco Female Institute before the building came down.

Pfeiffer's Corner Schoolhouse

Originally constructed about 1883, the Pfeiffer's Corner Schoolhouse is one of the very few remaining one-room schools in Howard County. Restoration is now complete. Children were educated within its walls for over 50 years until it was converted into a residence in the 1940s. In 2003, it was moved to Rockburn Branch Park where it illustrates the changes over a 100-year time span of our schools, serves as a historic exhibit and provides space for demonstration classes, interpretive tours and small meetings.


Info: 410-313-4682.

6109 Rockburn Branch Park Road, Elkridge, MD 21227

Thomas Isaac Log Cabin






Named after its late 19th century owner, this rustic structure was built circa 1780 as a settler's home of Ellicott Mills. The cabin was reconstructed on the present site in the late 20th Century. Here, visitors can learn about the settlement and development of the region and artisans. Open Saturdays and Sundays, 1-4pm, May through December. Private and group tours are available year-round, weather permitting. Info: 410-313-0420.


8394 Main Street, Ellicott City, MD 21043



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Volunteer Opportunities

The mission of the volunteer program is to enhance the programs and services of the Recreation & Parks Department with additional resources while providing an opportunity for the citizens of Howard County to contribute to their community. Volunteer opportunities are available in many areas including preschool and youth programs, sports, senior adult programs, natural resources, outdoor recreation, and special events. To volunteer with Howard County Recreation & Parks, you must meet the following requirements:

- Be at least 18 years old or 13-17 years old with parental consent;
- Complete the Volunteer Application;
- Be a good role model with a positive attitude; and
- If 18 or over, complete a Background Release Form, if required for the position.

To sign up for a volunteer opportunity or to find out what volunteer events are coming: www.hocovolunteer.org.
Info: Shawnté Berry, 410-313-4624 or sberry@howardcountymd.gov.

Family Volunteer Day **flickr**

Beautify county parks and heritage sites for all to enjoy. Families, clubs, community groups, and organizations are welcome to volunteer! Tools and instruction provided by Recreation & Parks staff. Volunteers under 16 must be accompanied by an adult. Preregistration required (visit www.hocovolunteer.org); please register by October 28.

Info: Melissa Calleri, 410-313-4704 or mcalleri@howardcountymd.gov.

All ages Nov 17 Free

Location TBD 9am-noon Sa

Community Knitting & Crocheting Group

Feel a sense of belonging. Create heirloom memories while knitting and crocheting afghans, blankets, baby wear and more for local charities, hospitals and senior centers. This volunteer group meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Acrylic yarn donations appreciated.
Info: Melissa Calleri, 410-313-4704 or mcalleri@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 23

RP3070 Kiwanis-Wallas Hall Ongoing 1-3pm W Free

Conservation Stewardship Project Volunteer Opportunity

The Middle Patuxent Environmental Area (MPEA) is 1,021 acres of preserved land between Clarksville and Columbia. Help us control non-native, invasive plants by volunteering with this joint effort of the Howard County Master Gardeners and the Department of Recreation & Parks. Remove invasive plants and replace them with beneficial, native plants. Event includes an educational component concerning the target invasive species or project for the morning. No registration necessary. Those under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Volunteer/Info: Jeff Claffy, 410-313-6209 or jclaffy@howardcountymd.gov. Visit www.howardcountymd.gov/mpea for meeting point info.

All ages MPEA 9-11:30am Sep 25, Oct 23, Nov 27 Tu Free

Gardening Get-Togethers at Robinson Nature Center

Join us every Thursday and Saturday (weather dependent and excluding holidays) and venture into the outdoors at Robinson Nature Center to tackle various volunteer stewardship projects. Projects may include planting native wildflowers, removing invasive plants, maintaining native trees and shrubs, maintaining trails, and cleaning up trash. Those under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Info: Brian Campbell, 410-313-0400 or bcampbell@howardcountymd.gov.

All ages Robinson Nature Ctr 10am-noon Th,Sa (Weekly) Free

Special Events & Family Activities

August

Nite Bite Fishing

Have you ever wanted to fish Centennial Lake at night? Now's your chance! Join Howard County Recreation & Parks for a unique opportunity to fish the lake after hours. Bring your own fishing pole, bait, tackle, bug repellent, flashlight or lantern, chair, or boat. Advanced registration is encouraged but on-site registration is available. Under 16 years must be accompanied by an adult. Complete information at www.howardcountymd.gov/nightfishing. Anglers 14 yrs & up can register for the Nite Bite Fishing Tournament Series (\$100 fee, see website for details).

All ages

RP9154.106	Centennial Pk South-Boat Launch	Aug 10	6-11pm	F	\$5
RP9154.107	Centennial Pk South-Boat Launch	Sep 14	6-11pm	F	\$5
RP9154.108	Centennial Pk South-Boat Launch	Oct 13	6-11pm	Sa	\$5

Rockburn Open Car Show **flickr**

Come celebrate the beauty of classic, antique, hot rods, and modified cars. The whole family enjoys viewing the cars on display. Food is available for purchase. Info: Shawnté Berry, 410-313-4624.

All ages Aug 18 Rockburn Branch Pk 10am-2pm Sa Free for participants

RP4099.801	Car Entries	\$10, preregister; \$15, on-site registration
RP4099.802	Car Flea Market Vendor	\$25, preregister; \$30, on-site registration
RP4099.803	Car Sales	\$20, preregister; \$30, on-site registration

September

Ghostly Guides

Gain an exclusive after-hours access to the oldest railroad station in America and see what eerie adventures await you! Use ghost hunting equipment to ask unseen residents questions, take photos and observe changes in the electromagnetic field to help detect supernatural activity. Begin with a historic tour of the Baltimore and Ohio Ellicott City Station Museum and after a brief orientation, wander the building with some of our professional ghost hunting gear. Bottled water and snacks are included. Info: 410-313-2922.

16 yrs + B&O EC Station Museum 8-11pm \$25

RP9978.105	Sep 1	RP9978.109	Oct 20
RP9978.106	Sep 22	RP9978.110	Oct 27
RP9978.107	Oct 6	RP9978.111	Nov 10
RP9978.108	Oct 13	RP9978.112	Nov 17

Scents of the Season: Autumn

Come transport to another time in history. Smell is the sense tied strongest to memory, so let your nose be your guide to a mid-nineteenth century autumn with seasonal sachet-making and scented candle making.

Info: Jake Feirson, 410-313-2922 or jfeirson@howardcountymd.gov

RP9980.121 All ages B&O EC Station Museum Sep 2 11am-2pm Su \$4

NEW! Back to School Luau

Aloha! Grab your Hawaiian shirts and come celebrate the end of summer and the start of a new school year with us! Featuring a live, interactive Hula performance and dinner! Show starts promptly at 5:45pm. All adults and children over the age of 1 year old must register to participate. Preregistration is required. Info: 410-313-0458

\$15, center member adult; \$10, center member 12 years and younger

\$17, nonmember adult; \$12 nonmember 12 years and younger

RP4409.101 All ages N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 7 5:30-7pm F

Fall Flea Market

Clean out those basements, closets, and garages and haul your items down to this community center for a fun day of selling and buying. This event welcomes specialized vendors selling unique gifts, home décor, specialty clothing, and more. Space available on a first-come, first-served basis. Registrations required at least one week prior to the event. Event is held rain or shine. Tables available for a fee. Registration/Info: 410-313-4840.

All ages Free for shoppers \$20 per vendor (\$10 table fee)

RP4141.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr 9am-noon Sep 8 Sa

NEW! Grandparents Day at

Robinson Nature Center

Celebrate National Grandparents Day at the Robinson Nature Center. Grandparents receive complimentary admission for one grandchild with each adult admission. We'll have full-dome movies in our planetarium, roving animal presentations, outdoor walks and educational activities throughout the exhibits. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times. Activities are included with admission. Info: 410-313-0400.

All ages Free with Robinson annual pass or general admission*

*General admission is \$5 (adult), \$3 (child, 3-17 yrs) and Free (under 3 yrs)

RP4897.101 Robinson Nature Ctr Sep 9 Noon-5pm Su

Nite Bite Fishing *Sep 14 Left column*

Public Star Parties

Come enjoy the night sky through telescopes set up by The Howard Astronomical League (HAL). At this relaxed, family event, view live images on a big screen as seen through the Watson Telescope in HAL's new observatory. Info/weather updates: www.howardastro.org or 410-313-4372.

Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

All ages Alpha Ridge Pk Dusk Sa Free

RP0830.101 Sep 15 RP0830.103 Nov 10

RP0830.102 Oct 20 RP0830.104 Dec 1

NEW! Nature for Schools Showcase

Robinson Nature Center is excited to announce new in-school field trip offerings where the Center comes to you! We invite teachers and school administrators to join us for this self-guided showcase of the new programs. Take virtual tours to habitats around the world, enjoy real-time earth-science simulations with Magic Planet and more. Teachers and school administrators receive complimentary admission to the Center and this event with their valid school photo ID. Participants that sign-in will be entered into a raffle drawing for a free in-school field trip (limit 35 students) during school year 2018-19. Info: 410-313-0400.

18 yrs + Teachers/school administrators admitted free with valid School photo ID

RP4899.101 Robinson Nature Ctr Sep 15 10am-noon Sa

Intro to H.O. Model Railroading

Come and learn what steps you need to take to get your first model railroad display on track! The class is taught by members of the Meade Area Railroad Society (MARRS), who maintain the museum's H.O. gauge model train display depicting the original 13 miles of track from Baltimore to Ellicott Mills.

Info: Jake Feirson, 410-313-2922 or jfeirson@howardcountymd.gov

RP9977.101 14 yrs + B&O EC Station Museum Sep 16 5:30-7:30pm Su \$15

Public Archaeology Lab Days

For every hour spent in the field, archaeologists spend at least two hours in the laboratory washing, labeling, cataloging and analyzing all the artifacts! Join members of the Upper Patuxent Archaeology Group to work with the artifacts. Bring your own artifacts for identification, or come with questions! No experience needed. Info: Kelly Palich, 410-313-4023 or kpalich@howardcountymd.gov.

All ages Heritage Program Office 10am-3pm Sa Free

Sep 22, Oct 27, Nov 17, Dec 16

Seasonal Historic Sites InstaMeets

What better way to showcase the changing of the seasons than with an InstaMeet at our historic sites? Take a walk into old world charm through Historic Ellicott City. See the Firehouse Museum and the B&O Ellicott City Station Museum. Enjoy background information of the sites we visit, and the opportunity to take pictures, swap social media tips, and meet other Instagrammers! Info: Emily Mosher, 410-313-0419 or emosher@howardcountymd.gov.

RP9983.105	16 yrs+	Pfeiffers Corner Sch House	Sep 22	1-4pm	Sa	\$5
RP9983.106	16 yrs+	Firehouse Museum	Dec 8	5-7pm	Sa	\$5

Robinson Nature Center

Anniversary Open House **flickr**

We can't wait to celebrate Robinson Nature Center's 7th birthday with you! Come see what's new, including our A to Z trail exhibit, new ARTsites installation and outdoor receptacles painted during our first Eco-Art residency. We'll showcase VR habitat tours and a new "Magic Planet" we'll be taking into schools as part of Robinson's new outreach programs. Take part in live animal presentations, guided nature walks, face-painting, crafts and shows in our planetarium. Enjoy activities with our partners, food vendors, the Nature Place, the Discovery Room and an outdoor picnic area. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times. Limited parking on-site. Off-site parking with complimentary shuttle available. (No registration for this event.) Info: 410-313-0400 or www.howardcountymd.gov/RobinsonAnniversary.

All ages	Robinson Nature Ctr	Sep 23	Noon-5pm	Su	Free
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Ghostly Guides at the Patapsco Female Institute

Gain exclusive after-hours access to the 181-year-old ruins of the Patapsco Female Institute, overlooking the Patapsco River Valley in Ellicott City. Take a guided tour of the historically rich (and possibly haunted!) ruins, then gather around a campfire with s'mores and listen to the stories and legends surrounding this Victorian-era girls' school. Afterwards, soak up the atmosphere as you use the same equipment as professional ghost hunters to gather evidence of paranormal activity and draw your own ghostly conclusions! Info: Emily Mosher, 410-313-0419 or emosher@howardcountymd.gov.

RP9978.101	16 yrs +	Patapsco Female Institute	Sep 28	8-11pm	F	\$25
RP9978.102	16 yrs +	Patapsco Female Institute	Oct 5	8-11pm	F	\$25
RP9978.103	16 yrs +	Patapsco Female Institute	Oct 12	8-11pm	F	\$25
RP9978.104	16 yrs +	Patapsco Female Institute	Oct 19	8-11pm	F	\$25

Archaeology Days at Patapsco Female Institute

Have you ever wondered what goes into an archaeology excavation? Find out by participating in field and laboratory activities. Get your hands dirty excavating a mock archaeology site, then sort, identify, catalog, and mend artifacts from the site. Analyze the artifacts found, and create your own archaeological exhibit. Tour the ruins and talk with members from the Upper Patuxent Archaeology Group about their experiences in the field! Info: Emily Mosher, 410-313-0419 or emosher@howardcountymd.gov.

RP9980.101	8-17 yrs	Patapsco Female Institute	Sep 30	1-4pm	Su	\$8
RP9980.102	18 yrs +	Patapsco Female Institute	Sep 30	1-4pm	Su	\$15

October

Ghostly Guides Oct 5, 12 & 19 Above on this page

The Great Snipe Hunt!

Parents and kids, ever heard of Bigfoot? The Loch Ness Monster? Howard County has its own creature of legend - The Howard County Snipe! Come gather around the campfire, take a hayride through the woods, and hear a story about the infamous, hard to catch but harmless Howard County Snipe - the largest of the snipe species! After hearing the story, come venture into the woods in search of this elusive creature. Bring a flashlight

for this catch-and-release event. Sponsored by the Elkridge Adult Athletic Association. Sign up early; the event is cancelled if minimum enrollment is not met. Register by: September 28. **Price is per child.** Info: Shawnté Berry, 410-313-4624 or sberry@howardcountymd.gov.

RP3005.101	4-7 yrs	Pfeiffer's Corner Schoolhouse	Oct 6	7-9pm	Sa	\$5
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History Alive! with the Friends of PFI

Enjoy a fun afternoon for the whole family and get into the spirit of the Victorian era at both Mt. Ida and the Patapsco Female Institute Historic Park. Bring a picnic, try on costumes, play old time lawn games, and look up your family names in our PFI student database)—you may be a descendant of a former student! Explore Mt. Ida, built in 1828 by the same architect who designed PFI, Robert Cary Long, Jr. Enjoy a short hike from Mt. Ida up to the Patapsco Female Institute Historic Park for docent-led tours and activities on site. Free event parking in the Circuit Court parking lot. Info: 410-313-0419. All ages Patapsco Female Institute and Mt. Ida Oct 7 Noon-4pm Su Free

Celebration of Sports

Join us along with other organizations and businesses with a vested interest in community sports in Howard County for a Celebration of Sports. Share in the evening's events as we induct members into the Community Sports Hall of Fame, honor GoodSports recipients, and enjoy a delicious buffet dinner. Seating begins at 5pm. Tickets purchased on or after September 28 are held at will call. Info: Mike Blevins, 410-313-1691.

RP6600.102	All ages	Turf Valley Table of 10	Oct 16	5-9pm	Tu	\$420
RP6600.101	All ages	Turf Valley Individual	Oct 16	5-9pm	Tu	\$42

Celebration of Sports Golf Tournament

Celebrate community sports and enjoy a day on the links. Fee includes lunch, green fees, cart, use of driving range, awards and hole prizes. Format is best ball scramble. Register before or on-site by 8:00am, shotgun starts at 9:00am. Info: Mike Blevins, 410-313-1691.

18 yrs + Timbers at Troy Golf Course

RP6601.101	Foursome	Oct 12	9am-3:30pm	F	\$340
RP6601.102	Individual	Oct 12	9am-3:30pm	F	\$85

Living History Day: Civil War on the Homefront

While we often think of only battlefields when reflecting on the American Civil War, the war still held a huge influence over everyday lives of American towns, even those far from the fighting. Almost everyone contributed to the war effort in one way or another, from sending homemade comforts and letters to soldiers on the front lines, to the recruiting and training of new soldiers, to even deciphering coded messages from secret spies. Come to the B&O Ellicott City Station Museum to catch a glimpse into how the Civil War affected the everyday lives of towns folks across the country. Info: Jake Feirson 410.313.2922 or jfeirson@howardcountymd.gov.

All ages	B&O EC Station Museum	Oct 13	Noon-4pm	Sa	Free
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Nite Bite Fishing Oct 13 Page 13

The Haunted Experience &

Happy Haunted Hayride

Event is co-sponsored by the Elkridge Adult Athletic Association. Inclement weather: 410-313-4451.

The Haunted Experience - Fright and fun awaits you... an ink black night sets the stage for a spooky hay ride through the eerie trails to the ghostly dwelling deep in the woods. Awaiting you there are haunting tales of ghosts and goblins and horror that will tingle the spine!

7 yrs + Rockburn Branch Pk (Montgomery Rd) \$10 at gate (cash only)

Oct 19, 20, 26, 27	7-10pm	F, Sa
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Happy Haunted Hayride - It's cute, it's friendly and not so scary. This hayride is for fun - not fright!

2-7 yrs + Rockburn Branch Pk (Montgomery Rd) \$5 at gate (cash only)

Oct 21 & 28	2-4pm	Su
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Truck or Treat lets your little ones see a variety of trucks and meet their local heroes, including police officers and firefighters.

Floating Pumpkin Patch

Join us for a thrilling time with your family and friends. Jump into our heated pool to find your floating pumpkin. Enjoy games, crafts and refreshments. Children can come dressed in their favorite costume; but don't forget their bathing suit! Preregistration is required; children must be accompanied by an adult. Registration/info: 410-313-2764.

2-11 yrs \$12 member; \$15 nonmember

RP5400.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Oct 20 2-3:30pm Sa \$12

RP5400.102 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Oct 20 2-3:30pm Sa \$15

NEW! Halloween Among the Trees

We've combined our many popular Halloween events into one giant celebration for the whole family. Enjoy a self-guided trick-or-treating adventure through Robinson's indoor exhibits and paved trail (great for strollers and young children) or take a longer adventure through the woods stopping at delightful stations where nature's "tricks" are revealed. Delight in Halloween-inspired music, crafts and tyke-friendly challenges along with live animals and healthy treats from our sponsors (MOM's Organic Market and David's Natural Market). All participants (adults and children) must register by calling 410-313-0400. No online registration. Info: 410-313-0400 or www.howardcountymd.gov/RNctrickortreat.

\$10, child; \$5, adult; Free, under 1 yr

RP4858.101 All ages Robinson Nature Ctr Oct 20 9am-noon Sa

RP4858.102 All ages Robinson Nature Ctr Oct 20 1-4pm Sa

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Scarecrow DIY!

Get creative at our scarecrow-making event. Bring a baby-footed pajama outfit to dress your scarecrow; we provide the rest! Preregistration is required; children must be accompanied by an adult. Registration/info: 410-313-0390.

3-12 yrs \$10 center member; \$15 nonmember

RP4408 N Laurel Comm Ctr Oct 20 10-11am Sa

Meet the Friendly Ghosts of Belmont Manor Oct 23 Page 57

To register, visit
www.howardcountymd.gov/rap
or call 410-313-7275.

NEW! Saturday Night UnAlive

If you are an adult and love Halloween, join us for a night you won't soon forget. Have a close-encounter with cryptozoological creatures like the Jackalope and Feejee mermaid courtesy of rogue taxidermists and collectors Brian Goodman and Nathan Roberts. Enjoy improv comedy by the Baltimore Improv group (BIG), roving live animal presentations and a self-guided night hike to search for Halloween treats along the trails. Dress in costume (or not) and inspire the night's laughs. Food and drinks available for purchase on-site. You must bring photo ID to purchase alcoholic beverages. Buy your tickets early for pre-sale pricing. Space is limited. Preregister to secure your spot. Registration/info: 410-313-0400.

21 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr \$29, pre-sale; \$35 after Oct 20
RP4874.102 Oct 27 7-9:30pm Sa

Truck or Treat flickr

Get in gear for a "wheely fun" day to celebrate Halloween! Come dressed in your favorite costume to trick-or-treat at all of the trucks, tractors, emergency vehicles and more, while meeting some of your hometown heroes. Enjoy live music, hayrides, face painting, children's activities, giveaways, story time, and more fall fun! Food trucks will be present. **1,000 presale tickets are available online via MissionTix.** Info: 410-313-4843. Inclement weather status line: 410-313-4452 (ext. 1).

All ages \$2, 2 yrs +; Free, under 1 yr

Gary J. Arthur Comm Ctr Oct 27 10am-1pm Sa

November

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Big Wheel 500

On your mark, get set, and go! Join us for one of the most entertaining and family-friendly events in North Laurel. Children race around an indoor course on big wheels, get their picture taken with a celebratory wreath, and take a swig from a cold bottle of milk. (Just like the pros!) Each child must bring their own helmet and wear closed-toed shoes. We provide the big wheels. Enjoy games, crafts and light refreshments. Preregistration is required. Info: 410-313-0458.

3-8 yrs \$10 center member; \$15 nonmember

RP4407 N Laurel Comm Ctr Nov 3 10-11:30am Sa

Historic Ellicott City Autumn Clean-Up

Lend a hand by assisting with the litter pick up and weeding of Historic Ellicott City and its historic properties. Meet at the Roger Carter Community Center for a continental breakfast. We provide the tools necessary and an event t-shirt for those who volunteer. All are welcome! Register by October 26. Registration/info: 410-313-2764.

RP5400.103 2 yrs + Roger Carter Comm Ctr Nov 3 7:30-10:30am Sa Free

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NEW! Remembrance Day: The Great War

On the eleventh day of the eleventh month at the eleventh hour, the Great War of 1914-1918 came to an end. Today, we celebrate November 11th as Veterans Day, and the Living History and Heritage Program invites you to join us in remembering veterans of all wars as we make poppy flowers to commemorate their service to our country. Spend the day in Ellicott City, see the Veteran's Day Parade, and take a walk down Main Street to the B&O Ellicott City Station Museum. Info: Emily Mosher, 410-313-0419 or emosher@howardcountymd.gov.

All ages Firehouse Museum Nov 10 10am-3pm Sa Free

How Mediumship Works and the Spirit Treasure Nov 13 Page 57

NEW! Explore the Earth, Moon and Space Family Night

The Maryland Science Center and Robinson Nature Center jointly present this exciting, family-focused event! Enjoy a planetarium program. Hold a meteorite and see lunar samples collected during the Apollo missions. Take a "tour" of the sky outside with professional and amateur guides. Each family assembles an Earth-Moon model to take home. This event is full of fun demonstrations to help your family better understand how our place in space creates day and night, eclipses, the different seasons and the amount of the moon visible to us each night. *Registration/Info: 410-313-0400.

7 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr \$26 per family (up to five members)

RP4850.101 Nov 16 6:30-9:30pm F \$26

**These concepts are explored in the HCPSS 5th grade curriculum.*

Tinsel & Treasures – Craft Fair

Jump-start your holiday shopping at our Holiday Craft Fair. You are sure to find unique gifts and decor at this event. Tables are limited to one per vendor. Space is limited. Preregistration for vendors required. Registration/Info: 410-313-0458.

18 yrs + Free for shoppers

RP4157.102 N Laurel Comm Ctr Nov 17 10am-1pm Sa \$25

Calling All Crafters: Crafter Jurying

You're invited to participate in the jurying process for the 2019 Wine in the Woods and Holiday Mart. Images must represent your original, handcrafted art/craft items and display. Selection is based on uniqueness, originality, quality, display, and popularity. **Apply Online.** Wine in the Woods application deadline is Nov 16, 2018 and costs \$20 (www.wineinthewoods.com/artisans). Holiday Mart application deadline is Feb 9, 2019 and costs \$20 (www.howardcountymd.gov/holidaymart). Fees are non-refundable. Info: Christine Lyons, 410-313-4843, or GJACC front desk, 410-313-4840.

Tinsel & Treasures - Craft and Home Fair (NLCC)

Jump-start your holiday shopping at our Holiday Craft Fair. You are sure to find unique gifts and decor at this event. Tables are limited to one per vendor. Space is limited. Preregistration for vendors required. Registration/Info: 410-313-0458.

All ages \$25 for vendors Free for shoppers

RP4157.102 N Laurel Comm Ctr Nov 17 10am-1pm Sa

NEW! Thanks-Living

Kids out of school? Have relatives in town for Thanksgiving? Get out of the house and enjoy the day before Thanksgiving with a full-dome movie or a guided nature walk along Robinson Nature Center's trails. Tickets can be purchased at the front desk if still available on the day of the program. Please arrive 15 minutes prior to movie start times in order to check in and be seated. We cannot seat late-comers due to dark conditions in the planetarium. Tickets for movies and the guided nature walk can be reserved by calling 410-313-0400 before 5pm on Sunday, November 18th.

Robinson Nature Ctr \$3 per ticket with daily admission or annual pass*

RP4806.101 3 yrs + One World, One Sky Nov 21 9:30-10am W

RP4806.102 5 yrs + Earth, Moon and Sun Nov 21 10:30-11am W

RP4806.103 All ages Guided Nature Walk Nov 21 11:15am-noon W

**Extended family of Robinson family pass holders receive complimentary admission on this day to the Center.*

Holiday Model Train Gardens

This holiday season, the model trains return to the Baltimore and Ohio Ellicott City Station Museum. The LEGO® trains plus N gauge and O gauge models will be on display. Info: Jake Feirson, 410-313-2922 or jfeirson@howardcountymd.gov.

All ages Nov 24-Jan 20 B&O EC Station Museum Free

NEW! Mistletoe and Moonlight Makers Mart

Trade a hectic afternoon at the mall for an enjoyable evening makers mart at the Robinson Nature Center! Peruse offerings by local and regional artisans including organic, minimal-ingredient soaps and lotions, nature-inspired artwork, as well as hand-crafted jewelry made of recycled and reclaimed materials. Science, space and nature-themed children's toys, gifts and books are available for the little ones in your life, or create memories with the gift of an annual pass to the Center. Local artisans may apply to participate by Sunday, November 4. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times. Info/full vendor list/vendor application: www.howardcountymd.gov/RNC/makersmart.

RP4860.101 All ages Robinson Nature Ctr Nov 30 6-9pm F Free

December

Holiday Train Garden

Enjoy holiday fun provided by train enthusiast Dennis Moore. The layout features four continuously operating trains through an 8' x 8' scenic garden. Visitors of all ages delight in the buttons to activate accessories or sounds. Train garden open during center hours. Info: 410-313-4840.

All ages Gary J. Arthur Comm Ctr Dec 1-Jan 11 Free

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Holiday Mart flickr

Join us for the 46th year! Find seasonal gifts and merchandise created by 130 juried artisans. Enjoy horse-drawn carriage rides, door prizes and a children's craft corner. Shoppers know this is the place to find unique handcrafted items and home décor. You're sure to find something for everyone on your list! Hot and cold beverages, lunch and snacks available for purchase. Coat and package check. (Vendors juried in advance.) Info: 410-313-4840.

All ages \$5, general admission; Free, 4 yrs & under

Gary J. Arthur Comm Ctr Dec 1 10am-5pm Sa

Belmont Manor & Historic Park Open Houses

Join Belmont Manor and the Howard County Conservancy at this 18th century Manor, surrounded by historic outbuildings and a cemetery on 68 acres of farmland, adorned for the holiday season with greens and other period decorations throughout the entire first floor. Take a historic tour of the property led by Belmont historian Fred Dorsey. This unique site is not usually open to the public, so come and explore the pristine setting of one of Howard County's most beautiful sites. Info: 410-313-0420.

Family Holiday Open House

Pick up a holiday gift at our gift shop and indulge in holiday refreshments. Enjoy a holiday nature craft, participate in the scavenger hunt and meet the animals at the Carriage House including their resident Eastern Screech Owl, Belle!

All ages Belmont Dec 2 1-5pm Su Free

Holiday Open House

Come take a step back in time to celebrate the holidays while touring the ca. 1738 Belmont Manor. Enjoy period music and colonial reenactors as you stroll through the magnificently adorned rooms. (Wine and beer will be sold by the Conservancy). Pick up a holiday gift at our gift shop, say hello to Belle the Eastern Screech Owl. Light refreshments will be available.

18 yrs + Belmont Dec 16 3-6pm Su Free

Deer Santa

Santa's reindeer have many skills. Delight in an afternoon of "Reindeer games" that test your skills against those of our four-legged friends in this family-friendly, self-guided adventure. Create holiday crafts, enjoy festive snacks, join us for an optional guided winter walk in the woods, and get a photo with Santa! All adults and children over the age of 1 year must be registered to participate. No online registration.

Info: www.howardcountymd.gov/DeerSanta or 410-313-0400.
All ages \$15, child, over 1 yr; \$7, adult; Free, under 1 yr
\$2 off each individual's registration for Robinson Nature Ctr members.
 RP4873.101 Robinson Nature Ctr Dec 2 Noon-3pm Su

NEW! Parents Night Out - Holiday Edition

Need a night out to get that last-minute shopping done? Drop off the kiddos for an evening of pizza, laughter and fun. Activities included games, stocking scavenger hunts, a hot chocolate bar, crafts and a movie. Preregistration is required. Info: 410-313-0458.

5-12 yrs \$10, center member; \$15 non-member
 RP4410.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Dec 7 5:30-8:30pm F

Midnight Madness at the Historic Sites

Take a break from shopping during Midnight Madness and join us as we kick off the 2018 holiday season in Historic Ellicott City! We have stories to share of winters past and the brave actions of our fire department at the Firehouse Museum. Make your way down to the Baltimore & Ohio Ellicott City Station Museum to see what's new at the station for the holidays and do some holiday-themed crafts for the whole family. Info: 410-313-0419.

All ages Firehouse Museum Dec 7 6-10pm F Free
 All ages B&O EC Station Museum Dec 7 6-10pm F Free

Christmas in the Park

Kick off the holiday season with Howard County's Tree Lighting ceremony! Enjoy caroling and light refreshments, topped off by our magical tree lighting. Visit www.howardcountymd.gov/christmasinthepark for details. Info: 410-313-7275.

All ages Centennial Park South Dec 8 4-5:30pm Sa Free

Santa Arrives at the Historic Sites

See Santa arrive by sleigh! If you missed Santa at Midnight Madness, come ready to share your holiday wish list with him at the start of the holiday festivities in the historic district. If Mrs. Claus is done with her baking, she may come too. Bring your camera... that perfect shot for your holiday greeting card is waiting. Info: 410-313-0419.

All ages B&O EC Station Museum Dec 8, 15 & 22 Noon-4pm Sa Free

Santa Paws

Bring your four-legged furry friend on a trip to the North Pole. Santa will be available for photo opportunities. All furry participants receive a treat bag with a token of appreciation for their human. Don't forget to bring a camera!

Handlers must be at least 18 years old. Have proof of rabies shot present at time of entrance. Remain in the area with their pet at all times. Maintain sight of and control of their pet. Pick up and properly dispose of their pet's waste. Speak up if concerned about another pet's behavior. Ensure that dogs are secured by a leash or lead and under control of a responsible person capable of immediate and effective restraint of the animal. Dogs may be removed from the leash when entering the marked off-leash area. Registration/Info: 410-313-2764.

18 yrs + Roger Carter Comm Ctr

RP5400.104 Member Dec 8 1-2pm Sa \$5
 RP5400.105 Nonmember Dec 8 1-2pm Sa \$7

Holiday Afternoon Tea

Belmont Manor's halls are decked with Holiday decor. Enjoy an Afternoon Tea. Your taste buds are tempted with a bottomless pot of tea, a Manor scone served with clotted cream and jam, tea savories and a delectable assortment of desserts. After taking tea, we invite you on a self-guided tour. Preregistration is required. Seating is communal. Arrive promptly at 2pm so you can save seats together for your entire party. Info: 410-313-0420.

RP9900.101 12 yrs + Belmont Dec 9 2-4:30pm Su \$40



Christmas in the Park includes caroling, light refreshments, characters (meet Olaf, gingerbread man, reindeer, and more), and a tree lighting.

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Holidays Around the World Celebration

A lot of holidays take place during the winter, each with unique traditions and histories. Join the Living History and Heritage Program in an Open House event at Waverly Mansion as we welcome local communities to a celebration and exploration of various holiday traditions from around the world. Participate in hands-on activities and games as you visit the different holidays, and even see how people celebrated holidays long ago!

Info: Emily Mosher, 410-313-0419 or emosher@howardcountymd.gov.

RP9980.105 All ages Waverly Mansion Dec 15 Noon-4pm Sa \$5

Save the Date

Calling All Crafters: Crafter Jurying

Holiday Mart application deadline Feb 9, see page 16 for information.

Snowflake Ball for Dads & Daughters flickr

Shake, rock and roll the winter blues away. Dads (or special adult) and daughters, enjoy refreshments, live DJ, dancing, games, crafts, and ice cream sundae bar. Fee includes a professional photo of each couple to take home. Inclement weather date: January 12. Preregistration required. Registration/Info: 410-313-4843.

4-11 yrs \$40, center members (1 child & 1 adult); \$20 for additional daughter
\$50, nonmembers (1 child & 1 adult); \$20 for additional daughter

RP4165.201 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Jan 5 5:30-7:30pm Sa

Daddy-Daughter Sweetheart Dance flickr

Escort your princess to a memorable evening of dancing and fun. Enjoy dancing with a live DJ, light refreshments, crafts, souvenir photo, and ice cream sundae bar. Inclement weather date is January 26.

Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

4-6 yrs \$50 for 1 child & 1 adult; \$30 for additional daughter

RP1029.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Jan 19 4-6pm Sa

7-11 yrs \$50 for 1 child & 1 adult; \$30 for additional daughter


RP1029.102 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Jan 19 7-9pm Sa





Trips & Tours


Explore the Possibilities!

- All children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.
- Info: Tracy Adkins, 410-313-7279 or tadkins@howardcountymd.gov.
- All pick-up locations are at Bain Center and Long Gate Park & Ride unless otherwise indicated in program description.

 Walking from bus to a seat (ex: a theatre)

 Walking with seating available (ex: museum seating)

 Lots of walking & standing with some opportunities to sit


 Lots of walking (over a mile)

September

Library of Congress National Book Festival at the Washington Convention Center

Sign up for the 18th Annual Library of Congress National Book Festival! This event hosts amazing authors including Stephen King and former Secretary of State Madeleine Albright along with renowned illustrators and famous poets. Enjoy presentations dedicated to kids, fiction, history, poetry, contemporary life and more. Fascinating programs and panel discussions are offered throughout the festival! Bring your own lunch to enjoy and tailor your schedule to match your interests for the day!

16 yrs + \$50, individual; 10% off two or more people

RP4515.101 Sep 1 7:30am-5:30pm Sa 

The Amazing Luray Caverns

Deep beneath Virginia's Blue Ridge Mountains, this U.S. Natural Landmark is the largest and most popular caverns in Eastern America. From well-lit, paved walkways, enjoy exploring cathedral-sized rooms (with ceilings 10 stories high). See towering stone columns and beautiful, crystal-clear pools. Experience the haunting sounds of the world's only stalacpipe organ. Lunch is on your own at the café on-site with a wide menu of options. Moderate walking is required for this tour.

16 yrs + \$90

RP4516.101 Sep 7 8am-6pm F 

Magnificent MD: State House & Gov's House


See ad for full description on page 20.

October

National Harbor Trip & MGM Casino

MGM National Harbor is the premiere entertainment destination located on the banks of the Potomac just outside of Washington, D.C. It features a 3,000-seat theater, a luxurious hotel, restaurants from acclaimed chefs, and a gaming floor bigger than the White House. MGM delivers monumental experiences daily. You may walk around, eat or gamble on your own.


21 yrs + \$40, individual; 10% off two or more people

RP4517.101 Oct 12 9am-3pm F 

National Cathedral Tea & Tour

An experience not to miss! Enjoy the Best Afternoon Tea in Washington, D.C.'s Highest Tea Room. The All Hallows Guild and the Cathedral's Visitor Services Department present a tea & tour. Views from the tower are magnificent! Following a cathedral tour, All Hallows Guild volunteers serve guests Earl Grey tea and a variety of finger sandwiches, scones with jam and cream, and sweets.


18 yrs + \$90

RP4518.101 Oct 17 11am-6pm W 

Naylor Wine Cellars

Wine is made in the vineyard! Naylor Wine Cellars in Pennsylvania was founded in 1978 by Richard and Audrey Naylor. Over his long career in the wine industry, Mr. Naylor has served as the Director of Wine America and President of the Pennsylvania Wine Association. Enjoy lunch on-site with a wine tasting, wine presentation, and tour!

21 yrs + \$100

RP4519.101 Oct 19 9am-5pm F 

NASA Goddard Space Flight Center

NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center in Greenbelt, MD, is home to the nation's largest organization of scientists, engineers and technologists who build spacecrafts, instruments and new technology to study the Earth, Sun, solar system, and universe. Goddard is home to Hubble operations and the upcoming James Webb Space Telescope. Goddard manages communications between mission control and orbiting astronauts aboard the International Space Station. Named for American rocketry pioneer Dr. Robert H. Goddard, the center was established May 1, 1959, as NASA's first space flight complex. Pack your own lunch for a picnic on-site and enjoy a guided tour.

16 yrs + \$40

RP4520.101 Oct 26 9am-2pm F 

Magnificent MD: Annapolis Maritime Museum

See ad for full description on page 20.

November

Franklin Institute: Vikings – Beyond the Legend

Explore more than 600 authentic archaeological relics that reveal the story of the Viking warriors who set sail from Scandinavia a thousand years ago in search of new lands. Among the rare treasures on display is an authentic Viking Ship (the Roskilde 6 is the longest remaining Viking warship - it is nearly 122 feet long). Enhance your experience with the accompanying IMAX film *Vikings: Journey to the New World*.


16 yrs + \$100

RP4521.101 Nov 8 8am-4pm Th 

The National Museum of the Marine Corps

Visit this lasting tribute to U. S. Marines—past, present, and future. Situated on a 135-acre site adjacent to the Marine Corps Base in Quantico, Virginia, (and under the command of Marine Corps University) the museum's soaring design evokes the image of the flag-raisers of Iwo Jima and beckons visitors to this 120,000-square-foot structure. World-class interactive exhibits using the most innovative technology surround visitors with irreplaceable artifacts and immerse them in the sights and sounds of Marines in action.

16 yrs + \$60, individual; 10% off two or more people

RP4522.101 Nov 13 9am-5pm Tu 

To register, visit

www.howardcountymd.gov/rap

or call 410-313-7275.



Enjoy Longwood Gardens during the holidays. Their greenhouses are decked out with beautiful fountains, flowers, garden displays and more.

Monticello: Tour and Holiday Wreath Workshop

Discover the home of our third President, Thomas Jefferson. The home is set on a beautiful mountaintop. Following the tour, enjoy a wonderful and scenic lunch provided by the on-site café. Then enjoy making a beautiful, holiday wreath. Monticello gardens' staff lead participants in these three-hour workshops. All materials (straw wreath forms, pins, wire, etc.) are provided, including a cornucopia of over 75 natural materials. Bring hand pruners.

18 yrs + — \$200

RP4523.101 Nov 29 6:30am-6pm Th



December

Mount Vernon Candlelight Tour and Dinner

Enjoy a festive evening at Mount Vernon, home of former President George Washington! The experience begins in the Ford Orientation Center, where you may listen to the sounds of the season and view spectacular Christmas trees highlighting the home of the first U.S. President's home. The tour begins with a guided, 18th-century, lantern-lit tour of the historic area. Inside the mansion, enjoy hearing stories of past Christmases. Enjoy cookies while sipping warm cider, listening to fireside caroling, and paying a visit to Aladdin the Christmas camel. The evening concludes with live music in the Education Center Lobby and an opportunity to visit the Education Center exhibits and The Shops. Please check the web or activenet for updates.

21 yrs + — \$125

RP4524.101 Dec 1 Sa



White House Holiday Tour

Visit the White House for the holidays with Howard County Recreation & Parks! The official home for the U. S. President was designed by Irish-born architect James Hoban in the 1790s. Rebuilt after a British attack in 1814, the "President's House" evolved with the personal touches of its residents, and accommodated such technological changes as the installation of electricity. The building underwent major structural changes in the early 1900s under Teddy Roosevelt, who also officially established the "White House" moniker, and again under Harry Truman after WWII. *Trip is pending approval.* Please check the web or activenet for updates.

16 yrs + — \$75

RP4525.101 Dec 4 Tu



Holiday at Longwood Gardens

Poinsettias, magnificent trees, and fragrant flowers transform the Conservatory into a holiday wonderland. Outside, colorful fountains dance to festive music, strolling carolers herald the season with song, and a half-million twinkling lights await. No holiday is complete without a visit to "A Longwood Christmas" at Longwood Gardens. Enjoy strolling the grounds while viewing special exhibits and seasonal plants. Three fire pits near the fountains invite guests to buy a cup of cocoa under the stars.

16 yrs + — \$80

RP4526.101 Dec 7 8am-5pm F



Magnificent MD: Star Spangled Banner Flag

See ad for full description on page 20.

The Kennedy Center: Ballet West's *The Nutcracker*

Ballet West returns to perform the D. C. premiere of its whimsical new production of *The Nutcracker*, which was unveiled in Salt Lake City last year. No company holds a more storied relationship with *The Nutcracker* than Ballet West, which has kept the ballet in its repertoire since performing the first complete American version more than 70 years ago. Pairing re-imagined designs with beloved choreography, the opulent production delivers treasured moments and surprising new delights. Featuring grand sets and fantastical costumes alongside Tchaikovsky's cherished score, this Nutcracker is a glittering, larger-than-life adventure. Don't miss an unforgettable journey to the Land of Sweets and a festive holiday treat for the entire family.

16 yrs + — \$175

RP4527.101 Dec 8 Noon-6pm Sa



Magnificent MD: National Cryptologic Museum

See ad for full description on page 20.

Ford's Theater: *A Christmas Carol*

Featured at historic and beautiful Ford's Theater! Join the ghosts of Christmas Past, Present and Future as they lead the miserly Ebenezer Scrooge on a journey of transformation and redemption. This music-infused production captures the magic and joy of Dickens's yuletide classic. This annual production has been a Washington tradition for over 35 years. Please check the web or activenet for updates.

16 yrs + — \$140

RP4528.101 Dec 15 Sa





MAGNIFICENT MARYLAND SERIES

State House & Governor's House

The beautiful Maryland State House is the oldest state capitol in continuous legislative use and is the only state house ever to have served as the nation's capital. The Continental Congress met in the Old Senate Chamber from November 26, 1783 to August 13, 1784. During that time, George Washington came before Congress to resign his commission as commander-in-chief of the Continental Army and the Treaty of Paris was ratified, marking the official end of the Revolutionary War. Next, the Government House is the official residence of the Governor of Maryland and is located at State Circle in Annapolis, Maryland. It has been the home of the governor since 1870.

16 yrs + \$35

RP4543.101 Sep 11 9am-2pm Tu



Annapolis Maritime Museum

The beautiful museum is situated on a small campus at the mouth of Back Creek, overlooking the Chesapeake Bay and is housed in the last surviving historic oyster-packing plant in Annapolis. This special setting provides visitors in an interactive experience that highlights the oyster and its role in shaping both the history and maritime culture of Annapolis. The Annapolis Maritime Museum & Park houses a collection of roughly 10,000 objects, photographs, and archival documents.

16 yrs + \$35, individual; 10% off two or more people

RP4540.101 Oct 30 9am-1pm Tu



Star Spangled Banner Flag House

Built in 1793, the Flag House was once the home and business place of Mary Pickersgill, who sewed the garrison flag Francis Scott Key witnessed flying over Fort McHenry that inspired him to write our national anthem.

16 yrs + \$35

RP4541.101 Nov 7 9am-2pm W



National Cryptologic Museum

Located adjacent to NSA Headquarters at Maryland's Ft. Meade, the Museum houses a collection of thousands of artifacts that collectively serve to sustain the history of the cryptologic profession. Here visitors can catch a glimpse of some of the most dramatic moments in the history of American cryptology: the people who devoted their lives to cryptology and national defense, the machines and devices they developed, the techniques they used, and the places where they worked.

16 yrs + \$35

RP4542.101 Dec 13 9:30am-1pm Th



Come learn archery from our trained professionals.

Adventure & Outdoors

- www.howardcountymd.gov/adventure
- Custom Adventure and Outdoor Programs available. Let us work with you to design a unique adventure. Gather your scout troop, school group or friends and we'll do the planning and leading. Activity choices include themed birthday parties, campfires, archery, canoeing, rock climbing, kayaking, tubing, camping, and biking.
- Info: Dawn Thomas, 410-313-1754, dthomas@howardcountymd.gov; or Matt Medicus, 410-313-1769, mmedicus@howardcountymd.gov.

We offer many different drop-in and one-day programs not listed in this guide! Please go online for complete information.

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Archery

- Take an introduction course to be eligible for the HCRP Target Archery Skills Club.
- Private lessons with a USA Archery-certified instructor available. Take a lesson then practice your skills during Open Range time - call Matt for details.
- No experience necessary and all equipment is provided for use during a program or class.
- Detailed information is e-mailed to participants.
- Info: Matt Medicus, 410-313-1769.
- Visit howardcountymd.gov/archery for up-to-date info.

Lil' Archers

Experience the sport of archery in a fun, safe and supervised environment. We use plastic arrows with rubber suction cups to teach the basics of archery. Detailed information is emailed to participants.

4-5 yrs Classes: 2

RP9062.101 Meadowbrook Ath Comp Oct 11 4-5pm Th \$35

RP9062.102 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Nov 10 10-11am Sa \$35

Learn the Art of Target Archery

Build and decorate your own PVC bow and learn techniques, form and range safety in a one-day class with our certified instructors.

6-7 yrs Classes: 1

RP9065.101 Rockburn Branch Pk West Sep 29 9:30-11:30am Sa \$45

Introduction to Target Archery

Discover the basics of archery! Learn basic techniques and form using recurve and compound bows from an USA Archery-certified instructor. Equipment, safety and elements of shooting are covered. Course meets the requirement to participate in the HCRP Archery Clubs.

8-13 yrs Classes: 1

RP9061.101 Alpha Ridge Pk Sep 8 9am-noon Sa \$55

RP9061.102 Alpha Ridge Pk Oct 6 9am-noon Sa \$55

13 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9061.111 Alpha Ridge Pk Sep 15 9am-noon Sa \$55

RP9061.112 Alpha Ridge Pk Oct 13 9am-noon Sa \$55

Target Archery Together (Parent/Child)

You and your child learn the basic techniques of archery together! Equipment, safety and elements of shooting are covered by an USA Archery-certified instructor. Fee is for one parent and one child. Course meets the requirement to participate in the HCRP Archery Clubs.

8-13 yrs Classes: 1

RP9063.101 Alpha Ridge Pk Sep 22 9am-noon Sa \$90

RP9063.102 Alpha Ridge Pk Oct 20 9am-noon Sa \$90

HCRP Target Archery Skills Club

Focus on refining target archery technique through practice and self-paced development with USA Archery-certified instructors. Parents welcome to sign up with their child during youth sessions. Prerequisite: You must have completed our Intro to Archery or Archery Together class or Archery Camp.

8 yrs + Classes: 4

RP9064.101 Alpha Ridge Pk Sep 9 Noon-1:30pm Su \$65

RP9064.102 Alpha Ridge Pk Oct 6 2-3:30pm Sa \$65

RP9064.103 Alpha Ridge Pk Oct 7 1-2:30pm Su \$65

Target Archery Open Range Pass

Sign up for an Open Range Pass to practice your target archery skills on select dates at the Alpha Ridge Archery location! Fee allows access at any or all of the Open Range times in that season - targets provided; bring your own bow and arrows. Use of HCRP equipment during your time at the range available to eligible archers for additional fee. Prior completion of a Recreation & Parks' Intro program is encouraged but not required to use the range. Archers must be able to participate in a safe and proper manner and follow range rules and staff directions at all times.

Fall Open Range times: Sat, Noon-2pm and Sun, 9am-12pm, 9/08-10/28

RP9066.101 8 yrs + Alpha Ridge Pk Bring your own equipment \$30

RP9066.102 8 yrs + Alpha Ridge Pk Using HCRP equipment \$50

Campfires & Camping

For complete info and new campfire opportunities not listed in this guide visit www.howardcountymd.gov/adventure!

Parent/Child Camping in the Park

Introduce your child to the joys of camping. Go on a flashlight walk and participate in your favorite campfire activities. Bring a tent and sleeping bags; snacks and breakfast are provided. Tents are available to borrow; indicate when registering. One additional immediate family member may be added for \$10 (must call to register with an additional person). Detailed information is emailed to participants. Info: Matt Medicus, 410-313-1769.

All ages Rockburn Branch Pk West-Campfire Ring Classes: 1

RP9091.101 Sep 14 6pm-8am F \$65



Enjoy a night camping with your family on September 14.

Encore Program

NEW! Encore Adventures

This is your opportunity to dabble in a variety of outdoor skills! You can try your hand at paddling in a kayak or paddle boat. Learn the basics of archery and elements of shooting. Go fishing in Centennial Lake while learning to rig a pole, tie knots and identify fish. Join us for a bird hike to observe local birds in their natural habitats. All equipment will be provided. Detailed information will be emailed. Sign up for all four adventures to take advantage of the discounted price! Info: Dawn Thomas, 410-313-1754, or dthomas@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + 10% off two or more people Classes: 1

RP9171.102 Paddling Centennial Pk Aug 30 6:30-8pm Th \$25

RP9171.103 Archery Centennial Pk Sep 6 6:30-8pm Th \$25

RP9171.104 Fishing Centennial Pk Sep 13 6:30-8pm Th \$25

RP9171.105 Bird Hike Centennial Pk Sep 20 6:30-8pm Th \$25

55 yrs + 10% off two or more people Classes: 4

RP9171.101 Centennial Pk Aug 30 6:30-8pm Th \$93

Fishing

- Visit the Adventure Shack and Rentals at Centennial Park for fishing gear and bait! Go to www.howardcountymd.gov/adventureshack for more details.
- Been fishing at Centennial Lake? Share your catch on the Centennial Lake Anglers log! Details at www.howardcountymd.gov/fishing
- Info: Dawn Thomas, 410-313-1754 or www.howardcountymd.gov/fishing

Let's Go Fishing! (Parent/Child)

This fishing class for beginners focuses on rigging a pole, casting, fish identification, knot tying, and much more. No experience necessary. All equipment and bait are provided. This class is a great way to spend quality family time together while learning a new lifelong outdoor skill. Fee is for one parent and one child.

5-12 yrs Classes: 2

RP9152.101 Centennial Pk South Sep 17 5:30-7pm M \$35

RP9152.102 Centennial Pk South Sep 27 5:30-7pm Th \$35

Nite Bite Fishing Clinics

Want to fish but not sure how to get started? Which bait and rod should be used? Join Howard County Recreation & Parks staff and learn to fish during Nite Bite Fishing events. Fee includes entry to Nite Bite Fishing - first hour is instruction; instructor will remain on site for assistance the remainder of the night. All fishing equipment and bait provided - bring your own flashlight or lantern. Advanced registration is encouraged but on-site registration is available. Under 16 years must be accompanied by an participating adult.

5 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9154.126	Centennial Pk South-Boat Launch	Aug 10	6:30-11pm	F	\$10
RP9154.127	Centennial Pk South-Boat Launch	Sep 14	6:30-11pm	F	\$10
RP9154.128	Centennial Pk South-Boat Launch	Oct 13	6:30-11pm	Sa	\$10

Youth Fishing

New young anglers, come learn to rig a pole, cast, identify fish, tie knots, and much more. No experience necessary. All equipment and bait is provided. This class is a great way to make friends and swap fish stories while learning a new lifelong outdoor skill.

5-13 yrs Classes: 2

RP9153.101	Centennial Pk South	Sep 18	6-8pm	Tu	\$35
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Nite Bite Fishing

Have you ever wanted to fish Centennial Lake at night? Now's your chance! Join Howard County Recreation & Parks for a unique opportunity to fish the lake after hours. Bring your own fishing pole, bait, tackle, bug repellent, flashlight or lantern, chair, or boat. Advanced registration is encouraged but on-site registration is available. Under 16 years must be accompanied by an adult. Complete information at www.howardcountymd.gov/nightfishing. Anglers 14 years and up can register for the Nite Bite Fishing Tournament Series (\$100 fee, see website for details).

All ages Classes: 1

RP9154.106	Centennial Pk South-Boat Launch	Aug 10	6-midnight	F	\$5
RP9154.107	Centennial Pk South-Boat Launch	Sep 28	6-11pm	F	\$5
RP9154.108	Centennial Pk South-Boat Launch	Oct 13	6-11pm	Sa	\$5

Nite Bite Fishing Tournament Series

Anglers 14 years and up participate in a tournament series through the eight dates of Nite Bite Fishing. Prize money awarded at series conclusion.

14 yrs + Centennial Pk South-Boat Launch

RP9154.150	9/28, 10/13 and 10/20	6-11pm	Sa	\$100
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Adult Fishing Clinic

New angler? Just coming back to the sport? Learn to cast, identify fish, rig a pole, tie knots, and much more. No experience necessary and all equipment and bait is provided.

18 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9156.101	Centennial Pk South	Sep 20	6-8pm	Th	\$15
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Geocaching

Geocaching Discovery Walk

Learn how to use modern GPS technology to find hidden treasure boxes all over the world! Families, explore the outdoors and get caught up in the thrill of the hunt! Bring your GPS unit or smartphone (Geocaching app optional), a water bottle and hiking shoes. Under 16 must be accompanied by a participating and registered adult. Info: Matt Medicus, 410-313-1769.

8 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9170.101	Rockburn Branch Pk West	Sep 15	9-10:30am	Sa	\$9
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Perfect your cast while fishing at our many programs and tournaments.

Paddling

- Earn a certificate and patch by taking a flat-water canoe or kayak paddling basics class and paddling our series of four MD waterways at least once within a three-year period.
- Fees are per person. Canoes are two-person boats; kayaks are either single or double.
- Under 16 must be accompanied by a participating parent or guardian.
- Detailed information is emailed to participants.
- For more paddling opportunities (Moonlight Canoeing, guided wildlife paddle) or more information visit www.howardcountymd.gov/paddling or call Matt Medicus, 410-313-1769.
- Practice your skills by renting a canoe or kayak from the Adventure Shack & Rentals at Centennial Park (info: www.howardcountymd.gov/adventureshack).

Canoe & Kayak Paddling Basics

Whether you're a brand-new paddler or are just looking to refine your skills, this paddling basics class gives you the confidence to hit the water on your own! Learn paddling techniques, self-rescue, safety and gear selection for both canoes and kayaks. Participants under 16 are placed in a canoe or tandem kayak with an accompanying registered adult. This is an American Canoe Association certified instructional program.

10 yrs + Centennial Pk South-Concession Dock Classes: 1

RP9125.101	Sep 8	9:30am-noon	Sa	\$35
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Float the Antietam

Nature enthusiasts and families, come enjoy a day of paddling on Antietam Creek near Sharpsburg, MD. Choose a canoe, double kayak or single kayak. Beginner to intermediate paddlers welcome. All paddlers must complete our Flatwater Paddling Basics class before the trip. Fee is per person, which includes transportation, leadership and boats; bring a lunch (no nut products) and beverage. Detailed info emailed to participants.

10 yrs + Canoe Classes: 1

RP9124.101	Long Gate Pk & Ride	Sep 16	9am-6pm	Su	\$47
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10 yrs + Tandem Kayak Classes: 1

RP9124.102	Long Gate Pk & Ride	Sep 16	9am-6pm	Su	\$47
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16 yrs + Single Kayak Classes: 1

RP9124.111	Long Gate Pk & Ride	Sep 16	9am-6pm	Su	\$68
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Float the Potomac

Nature enthusiasts and families can discover the beauty of scenic Potomac River northwest of Harpers Ferry on this one-day trip. Beginner to intermediate paddlers welcome. All paddlers must complete our Flatwater Paddling Basics class before the trip. Fee is per person, which includes transportation, leadership and boats; bring lunch (no nut products) and beverage. Detailed information is emailed to participants.

10 yrs + Canoe Classes: 1

RP9123.101 Long Gate Pk & Ride Sep 30 9am-6pm Su \$47

10 yrs + Tandem Kayak Classes: 1

RP9123.102 Long Gate Pk & Ride Sep 30 9am-6pm Su \$47

16 yrs + Single Kayak Classes: 1

RP9123.111 Long Gate Pk & Ride Sep 30 9am-6pm Su \$68

Rock Climbing

Indoor Rock Climbing at the Roger Carter Community Center

Boost your confidence; get a great workout on the 26-foot-tall wall. Open climbs are only \$5 per person! Climbing wall rentals & parties also available; call Dawn Thomas, 410-313-1754. Visit www.howardcountymd.gov/rockclimbing for complete information (including open climb times and fees).

School's Out Rock Climbing & Swimming

Rise to new heights on our indoor climbing wall! No experience necessary. Fee includes equipment, instruction and supervision. Build confidence and make new friends while participating in rock climbing and team building games, then relax in our indoor pool. Detailed info is emailed to participants prior to the event.

9-13 yrs Classes: 1

RP9241.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Oct 19 9am-5pm F \$85

RP9241.102 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Nov 7 9am-5pm W \$85

Trail Hikes

- The HCRP Trail Hike program features many historic sights and panoramic views. Trip leaders interpret points of interest and keep a moderate pace.
- Looking for a way to give back to the community and share your love of hiking? Visit www.hocovolunteer.org for more information on how you can become a Trail Hike leader.
- Thanks to volunteer Trail Hike leaders Mary Boeckman, John Breivogel, Henry Ellis, John Singleton, and Sandy Stromer!
- Looking for a way to give back to the community and share your love of hiking? Visit www.hocovolunteer.org for more information on how you can become a Trail Hike leader!
- Under 16 must be accompanied by a participating parent or guardian.
- Participants should be in good shape, have good balance and depth perception to be able to hike two miles over rocky hills without a break and the ability to complete the distance indicated.
- Fee includes van or school bus transportation from the Park & Ride lot at the intersection of Rte. 100 and Long Gate Pkwy, Ellicott City.
- Detailed information is emailed to participants in the week prior to the hike date.
- Info: Matt Medicus, 410-313-1769 or howardcountymd.gov/trailhikes.

Susquehanna Grist Mill Trail

Discover agricultural history as you hike by a manor, miller's carriage and toll houses. Pass a pumping station, canal and mill race. Moderate terrain, 5.5 miles.

8 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9181.101 Long Gate Pk & Ride Oct 13 8am-4pm Sa \$17

Appalachian Trail (AT)

The Appalachian Trail crossing Virginia, Maryland and Pennsylvania features historic Civil War sights and panoramic views of mountains and valleys; trip leaders interpret points of interest. Hike leaders keep a moderate pace. Earn a certificate and patch by hiking each of the seven sections in the Maryland Appalachian Trail series at least once within a 3-year period. Earn a 100-mile certificate and patch by hiking additional miles on the Pennsylvania and Virginia sections of the Appalachian Trail.

MD AT #5 Gathland State Park-Reno

Monument

Explore the 50 ft-high arch monument built as a tribute to Civil War newspaper correspondents and hike along the wooded mountain ridge. Eat your lunch at the White Rocks overlook. Moderately difficult terrain: 6.5 miles.

8 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9180.101 Long Gate Pk & Ride Sep 15 8am-4pm Sa \$17

VA AT#2 Shannondale Road-Snickers Gap

Grab some additional AT miles and enjoy several mountain and valley views; have lunch at Devil's Racecourse. Moderately difficult terrain: 8.4 miles.

8 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9184.101 Long Gate Pk & Ride Sep 22 8am-6pm Sa \$20



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Adventure & Outdoor Programs

We will work with you to design a unique adventure!

Gather your scout group, school group, co-workers, family or friends and we do the planning and leading.

Specializing in birthday parties, campfires, fishing, target archery, canoeing, rock climbing, kayaking, river tubing, camping, biking and much more!

Info:

Dawn Thomas, 410-313-1754 or
dthomas@howardcountymd.gov.

MD AT #3 Wolfsville Road to Rte 40

Have lunch at the site of the Black Rock Hotel, a 1900s hotel. Then hike to the panoramic view and fresh-water springs at Annapolis Rocks. Moderately difficult terrain: 9.5 miles.

8 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9180.102 Long Gate Pk & Ride Nov 10 8am-4pm Sa \$17

PA AT #2: Snowy Mountain Road-Caldedonia State Park

Grab some additional AT miles and enjoy your lunch at the Rocky Mountain shelter during this generally downhill hike. Moderate terrain: 6.3 miles.

8 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9183.101 Long Gate Pk & Ride Nov 17 8am-6pm Sa \$20

Catoctin Trail (Cat)

The 27-mile Catoctin Trail runs from Gambrill State Park through Frederick City Watershed and ends in Catoctin Mountain Park. Nine miles of the trail crisscrosses through Cunningham Falls State Park. Earn a certificate and patch by hiking each of the four sections of the Catoctin Trail series at least once within a 3-year period. Hike leaders keep a moderate pace and interpret point of interest.

CAT #3 Hunting Creek-Houck Area

Pass through a hardwood forest, enjoy the scenic view from Bob's Hill Overlook and visit the site of the Catoctin Furnace. Steep terrain: 6 miles.

8 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9182.101 Long Gate Pk & Ride Oct 27 8am-4pm Sa \$17

CAT #1 Fishing Creek Rd-Gambrills St Pk

Pass an old springhouse, view panoramas of Frederick County and cross winding streams. Moderately difficult terrain: 8 miles.

8 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9182.102 Long Gate Pk & Ride Dec 8 8am-4pm Sa \$17

Nature & Environment

- Below is in order by date.
- Call 410-313-0400, or go to www.howardcountymd.gov/RobinsonNatureCenter for information on the Robinson Nature Center and its programs, exhibits, field trips, special events, volunteer and scout opportunities, birthday parties, rentable rooms, planetarium, community partners, gift shop, and more.

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Astronomy & Planetarium

- Planetarium programs are held in the NatureSphere, a digital planetarium and dome-style movie theater.
- For planetarium shows, arrive 15 minutes prior to the show time to be seated. Due to dark conditions, we cannot seat you during the show.
- Sensory-friendly accommodations are available for all planetarium programs upon request. To make a request, contact the Robinson Nature Center no later than one week in advance of the program.
- Previews of planetarium films: www.howardcountymd.gov/RNCNatureSphereFeatures.
- Listed by earliest start date.
- Fee is per person. Children must be accompanied by a ticketed adult.
- Registration/Info: 410-313-0400.

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Public Star Parties *Sep 15, Oct 20, Nov 10, Dec 1 Page 13*

Family Fridays Under the Dome

Treat your family to unique shows at Robinson Nature Center's NatureSphere planetarium. Each program features a full-dome movie preceded by a family-friendly planetarium presentation. Price is per ticket. No late seating.

Robinson Nature Ctr

RP4801.101	7 yrs +	<i>We Are Stars</i>	Sep 7	6:30-7:30pm	F	\$6
RP4801.102	7 yrs +	<i>Astronauts</i>	Oct 5	6:30-7:30pm	F	\$6
RP4801.103	5 yrs +	<i>We Are Aliens</i>	Nov 2	6:30-7:30pm	F	\$6
RP4801.104	7 yrs +	<i>Stars</i>	Dec 7	6:30-7:30pm	F	\$6

*Wear your Halloween attire for our special "Constellations and Costumes" presentation on October 5.

Friday Late Nights in the NatureSphere

Treat your partner or friends to a unique Friday night experience of top notch astronomy and entertainment at the Robinson Nature Center. This program is held in the NatureSphere planetarium and features a full-dome movie preceded by an adult-level planetarium presentation about current happenings in our night sky and space science. No late seating.

18 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr

RP4800.101	<i>Passport to the Universe</i>	Sep 7	8-9pm	F	\$6
RP4800.102	<i>NEW! Wildest Weather in the Universe</i>	Oct 5	8-9pm	F	\$6
RP4800.103	<i>Stars</i>	Nov 2	8-9pm	F	\$6

Robinson Nature Center

howardcountymd.gov/RobinsonNatureCenter
410-313-0400

ADVENTURE SHACK AND RENTALS

Forgot your ketchup? Looking to rent a boat?
Need some bait? Need ice for the cooler?
**We have you covered — stop on down to the
Adventure Shack and Rentals to fulfill
all your park visit needs!**

KETCHUP/MUSTARD	TACKLE	BAIT	KAYAKS
HOT DOGS	FISHING RODS	CANOE	
ICE	NACHOS	FISHING BOATS	SUNBLOCK
SODA	ICE CREAM	CHARCOAL	HAND WIPES

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Visit us at Centennial Park or online at
www.howardcountymd.gov/adventureshack
or call 410-313-7303.



Robinson Nature Center has programs for all ages - including our new Babes in Backpacks program for infants. Photo courtesy of Rob Gelner.

Lil' Stars (Parent/Child)

Let your little one discover outer space through views of the stars and planets, stories, crafts or song. Give your child a special nighttime experience during the day! Each month we focus on a different theme – from colors of stars, to the stories behind a constellation, to the seasonal changes in the sky. Pre-register to secure your seats. No late seating.

3 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr \$3 per ticket w/ admission or annual pass

RP4802.101	<i>Autumn Equinox</i>	Sep 15	10-10:30am	Sa
RP4802.102	<i>Autumn Equinox</i>	Sep 15	11-11:30am	Sa
RP4802.103	<i>Clouds</i>	Oct 13	10-10:30am	Sa
RP4802.104	<i>Clouds</i>	Oct 13	11-11:30am	Sa
RP4802.105	<i>Gas Giant Planets</i>	Nov 10	10-10:30am	Sa
RP4802.106	<i>Gas Giant Planets</i>	Nov 10	11-11:30am	Sa
RP4802.107	<i>Space Rocks!</i>	Dec 8	10-10:30am	Sa
RP4802.108	<i>Space Rocks!</i>	Dec 8	11-11:30am	Sa

NEW! Bethlehem's Star

Join Dr. Joel Goodman for a presentation that explores the astronomical interpretations of the Star of Bethlehem. There are many astronomical possibilities for what would have created the brightness attributed to the Star of Bethlehem. Could it have been an incredibly bright new star? Or was it not a star at all, but instead the conjunction of two or more planets creating an object brighter than many others in the sky? No matter what your faith, this presentation will allow you to discover some of the major astronomical events that took place during the last century BC. Afterwards, enjoy a viewing of the full-dome movie "Stars" projected in 360° on the planetarium's domed ceiling. Please note we require attendees to check in and be seated 15 minutes prior to the show. Due to dark conditions, we cannot safely accommodate late seating. Please note, there are two show times for this program.

18 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr

RP4804.104	Dec 6	2:30-4pm	Th	\$9
RP4800.104	Dec 7	8-9:30pm	F	\$9

Family & Parent/Child

- Programs in this section require an adult to register with their child and accompany them at all times.
- Unregistered siblings of age for a program or older may not join their registered sibling in a program.
- Caregivers and children of the appropriate age are welcome. Please note required adult/child ratios for caregivers.
- Listed by earliest start date.
- Registration/Info: 410-313-0400.

Babes in Backpacks (Parent/Child)

This program provides our tiniest visitors the chance to become familiar with the sights, sounds, smells and textures of the great outdoors. Infants are exposed to new experiences that will build their comfort level when encountering unfamiliar objects and when spending time outside. Families learn how to help their children develop a familiarity with nature and encourage their child's sensory exploration from a young age. Enjoy a short walk on unpaved trails (requires infants to be in a baby backpack or carrier - trails are not stroller accessible). No online registration, call 410-313-0400.

1-13 months w/adult Robinson Nature Ctr Fee is for one child and one adult.

RP4872.101	Sep 1	11am-noon	Sa	\$8 (1 child, 1 adult); \$6 additional adult
RP4872.102	Oct 6	11am-noon	Sa	\$8 (1 child, 1 adult); \$6 additional adult

"It is so great that you guys have programs for this age group. I have a one and three-year-old. There are lots of options for me and the three-year-old or for all of us. But this is the first program for just me and the little one."

Lil' Acorns (Parent/Child)

Hold your lil' acorn's hand through an unforgettable morning. In our new Migration program, we'll discover different insects and wildlife that begin heading South in the fall; and we'll follow our own migration journey. In our Dinosaur Dash program, we'll use our senses to explore a dinosaur marsh, and we'll create and hatch dinosaur eggs. These parent/child interactive programs include stories, tot-friendly investigations, a puppet show and a short walk through the woods.

2-3 yrs Robinson Nature Ctr \$18 for 1 child & 1 adult

RP4817.101	NEW! Migration	Sep 8	10:30am-noon	Sa
RP4817.102	Dinosaur Dash	Dec 15	10:30am-noon	Sa

NEW! Grandparents Day at

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Toddler Time at the Nature Center

Toddler time offers some of our youngest visitors a chance to use unstructured play to gain the comfort level and gross/fine motor skills they need to happily explore the world around them. Each month, we curate materials on a different theme for you and your toddler to explore. Take part in simple, self-guided activities that encourage toddlers to move in age-appropriate ways and explore unfamiliar textures, smells, sounds and sights found in the natural world. Fee is for one child and one adult. Caregivers and children of the recommended age are welcome. A 1:3 caregiver to child ratio is required. Call to register additional children: 410-313-0400.

1-2½ yrs w/adult F \$5 Robinson annual pass holders, \$7 General admission

RP4871.101	NEW! Under the Sea	Robinson Nature Ctr	Sep 14	9-9:45am
RP4871.102	NEW! Under the Sea	Robinson Nature Ctr	Sep 14	10-10:45am
RP4871.103	NEW! Spooky Critters	Robinson Nature Ctr	Oct 12	9-9:45am
RP4871.104	NEW! Spooky Critters	Robinson Nature Ctr	Oct 12	10-10:45am
RP4871.105	NEW! Fantastic Fall	Robinson Nature Ctr	Nov 9	9-9:45am
RP4871.106	NEW! Fantastic Fall	Robinson Nature Ctr	Nov 9	10-10:45am
RP4871.107	NEW! Life Underground	Robinson Nature Ctr	Dec 14	9-9:45am
RP4871.108	NEW! Life Underground	Robinson Nature Ctr	Dec 14	10-10:45am



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Take Your Child Birding (Parent/Child)

Take your child and/or grandchild on a fun, bird-watching walk at the Middle Patuxent Environmental Area (MPEA). David Cummings of the Howard County Bird Club and a Robinson Nature Center Naturalist lead the group along the trails to search for migrant birds including hawks, doves, woodpeckers, flycatchers, vireos, warblers, sparrows, blackbirds, orioles, and other species. Enjoy kid-friendly activities along the way including searching for feathers, building nests and more. Please note, there are no restroom facilities at the MPEA. This program is weather-dependent (cancelled with refunds issued, in case of heavy rain).

4-9 yrs Meet at the Robinson Nature Ctr to caravan to the MPEA.

RP4818.101 Sep 29 9-10:15am Sa \$10

Hungry Caterpillar Tea Party

Spend a fantastic afternoon at our hungry caterpillar tea party! Discover how caterpillars transform themselves into beautiful butterflies and enjoy photo ops as your little one dons his/her own pair of wings and journeys through the nature center. Meet, sing and play with the Drama Learning Center's giant, talking caterpillar and his young companion, Alice. Afterwards, sit and savor a full tea service by Sweet Simplicitea tea room. Tea service includes tea, lemonade and delightful treats just right for little fingers. Fee includes program, all materials, full tea service, and gratuity for service. All attendees (children and adults) must register separately to attend. **As this is a catered event, you must register no later than September 26 to attend.**

3 yrs + \$27 per person

RP4865.101 Robinson Nature Ctr Sep 30 11am-1pm Su

RP4865.102 Robinson Nature Ctr Sep 30 2-4pm Su

NEW! Earth – We're All On This Together

Join staff from the Port Discovery Children's Museum to examine our world through art, drama, magic and circus arts. Explore the incredibly small 'nano-particles' that create the colors in butterfly wings, and create a butterfly Sun catcher to take home. Enjoy a comical magic performance that focuses on animals in our world (both helpful and hysterical). Reduce, reuse and recycle in an engaging circus performance with an expert in juggling, globe-walking, lasso- and plate-spinning. Go "behind the scenes" and design a simple set, lights and sound to recreate an interactive Mayan folktale about our planet's sun. This program series is supported by the Howard County Council on the Arts. Tickets for these programs are available at the Robinson Nature Center's front desk on a first-come, first-served basis.

3-9 yrs Robinson Nature Ctr Free with general admission or annual pass

RP4830.101 *Natural Magic* Oct 6 2:30-3:30pm Sa

RP4830.102 *Butterfly Sun Catchers* Oct 13 2:30-3:30pm Sa

RP4830.103 *Reduce, Reuse, Re-circus* Nov 3 2:30-3:30pm Sa

RP4830.104 *Sun Folktale Behind-the-Scenes* Nov 10 2:30-3:30pm Sa

Finding the Way to Freedom

Discover how enslaved individuals found their way to freedom through Howard County. Hear how the two Ellicott City Courthouse sites, part of the National Park Service's Freedom Trail, challenged the institute of slavery through decisions made in historical court cases. Then, immerse yourself in the navigation of the Underground Railroad. Under the planetarium dome, discover stars and constellations that served as nightly beacons and learn how signals sewn into quilts and lyrics of songs were used to guide fleeing slaves North along a safe route. End with a short night hike along darkened trails discovering the historical significance of the Robinson Nature Center's property. All children must be accompanied by a registered adult.

7 yrs +

RP4874.101 Robinson Nature Ctr Oct 12 7-8:15pm F \$9

NEW! Halloween Among the Trees Oct 20 Page 15

NEW! Thanks-Living Nov 21 Page 16

Deer Santa Dec 2 Page 16

NEW! Festive Holiday Display Workshop

This season, create multi-generational memories and a jolly, holiday keepsake! Paint a festive display on wood for your family, or decorate it with your child or grandchild. This accent piece featuring your choice of snowmen, reindeer or Santa is perfect for both indoor and outdoor display! Price is per display (not per person). Enjoy music, light snacks and cider as you create your masterpiece. All materials are provided. No experience needed. Children under the age of 17 years must be accompanied by an adult. Adults (18 yrs +) can check out our Holiday Centerpiece workshop (RP4862.101/page 27) if you would like to join us to create a centerpiece for your holiday table.

12 yrs +

RP4861.101 Robinson Nature Ctr Dec 8 10am-noon Sa \$30

Youth

- For drop-off programs, parents are required to fill out a participant information form for each child. Forms are emailed to the email address provided when the child registered.
- Listed by earliest start date.
- See additional activities in the Astronomy/Planetarium section and in the Family & Parent/Child section.

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School's Out: Living Off the Land Day Camp

While school is out, join us to explore how humans and animals survive using materials found in nature. Become an experimental archaeologist studying the ways of Woodland Indian tribes: create pinch pots out of clay, see a flint-knapping demonstration, try your hand at making cordage and test out an atlatl and bow drill. During live animal presentations, discover how humans copy and adapt survival strategies of animals for our own use. Track a mystery animal through the woods, and practice building your own shelter! Pack a snack and a non-perishable lunch (no nut products).

6-12 yrs Robinson Nature Ctr

RP4812.101 Day camp Sep 19 8:30am-3:30pm W \$52

RP4812.102 After-care Sep 19 3:30-5pm W \$10

NEW! School's Out: Be the World's Change Day Camp

Join Unreasonable Kids, a social entrepreneurship program, and make a difference in your world! By becoming a social entrepreneur, you'll learn to see opportunities where adults see problems. Our world has a lot of environmental issues, and you'll get the chance to use tools to dream up a business solution or awareness campaign to solve one of these issues. You'll also enjoy a walk on the trails and a full-dome movie in the Center's NatureSphere planetarium to inspire you. Your voice matters now more than ever. Join us, and start making change! Pack a snack and a non-perishable lunch (no nut products).

10-14 yrs Robinson Nature Ctr

RP4813.101 Oct 19 8:30am-3:30pm F \$65

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410-313-0400

NEW! School's Out: Habitat Extreme Day Camp

While school is out, join us as we explore remote habitats and their inhabitants. We'll visit deserts, underground worlds and forests using VR goggle technology. Explore adaptations of animals that live in some of the world's most intense environments through hands-on experiments. Through live animal presentations, meet a few of Maryland's native reptiles and amphibians and then learn about their more "extreme" relatives in regions far from here. Design your own creature to be able to survive in a severe environment, and discover insect life in the rainforest through a full-dome movie! Pack a snack and a non-perishable lunch (no nut products).

6-12 yrs Robinson Nature Ctr

RP4812.103	Day camp	Nov 7	8:30am-3:30pm	W	\$52
RP4812.104	After-care	Nov 7	3:30-5pm	W	\$10

Adults

- For 21 yrs+ events at which alcohol will be served, participants must bring a photo ID.
- Listed by earliest start date.

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NEW! My Dream Year

Have your dreams been on the back-burner for longer than you can remember? Take them off! Join Nancy McAllister, an ambitious mother with three children, a husband and two unexpected jobs who took 2016 to return to her life-long passion for nature and travel. Hear stories from Nancy's travels to U. S. birding hotspots from coast to coast. Be inspired to revisit your own dreams as Nancy recounts the beautiful birds and fascinating people that made all her efforts worth it. Enjoy an early fall bird walk led by Nancy around Robinson Nature Center's trails after the presentation.

RP4818.102 18 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr Sep 8 9-11am Sa \$5

NEW! Nature For Schools

Showcase Sep 15 Page 13

Ladies Night Hike Out!

Join other nature-loving gals on this unique, Friday night adventure! Immerse yourself in the nocturnal wonders of the Middle Patuxent Environmental Area (MPEA). Knowledgeable Robinson Nature Center naturalists are guides for this hour and a half-long wonders of the night hike. Meet at the Robinson Nature Center to caravan to the MPEA. The hike covers approximately 2 miles on unpaved terrain. Bring a flashlight.

RP4883.101 18 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr Oct 13 6:30-8:30pm Sa \$10

"My favorite part was learning about the area (nature/history), and the surprise sounds."

NEW! Saturday Night UnAlive Oct 27 Page 15

NEW! Urban Pallet Paint Night

Join us for paint night with a twist! Create a crisp, Instagram-worthy wood sign to decorate your home and meet the owner of the Urban Pallet Company. Discover more about the company's inspiring mission upcycling European shipping pallets into meaningful art. Then, choose colors, and finish your pre-stenciled and washed pallet (approximately 15" x 15") into a masterpiece for your wall. Pallets are stained with 100% organic coffee, tea and vinegar and customized with your family's last name! **\$25 material fee due at the event.** Apron, light snacks, paints and board provided! As pallets must be custom-stenciled before the event, **you must register and choose your pallet's design by Sunday, October 28 to attend.**

RP4827.101 21 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr Nov 2 7-9pm F \$40

Bean to Brew Coffee History, Tasting and Pairing

Coffee-lovers: get ready to revel in a morning at Robinson Nature Center just for you! Delight in a coffee bean roasting demonstration while you explore coffee's intriguing journey across continents and within different cultures. Take a stroll on the property while learning about plants that generations past used as coffee substitutes to curb cravings during times of shortage. End by fueling up with a delicious coffee tasting by local coffee roaster, Pfefferkorn's Coffee. Discover the fascinating process of how beans are selected, processed and flavored, and delve into the distinctions between different coffee varieties and flavor profiles. Delectable, baked-good pairings by Sweet Simplic-tea accompany three of the six coffee tastings. Coffee is available for sale on-site.

RP4826.101 18 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr Nov 10 10am-noon Sa \$25

"I loved the coffee-roasting demo and learning about coffee's history. The tasting and pairing was delicious. Repeat this program again please!"

NEW! Mistletoe and Moonlight

Makers Mart Nov 30 Page 16

Holiday Centerpiece Workshop

This season, adorn your table with a holiday centerpiece of your own design made of sustainably-harvested evergreens and other natural materials. Enjoy festive music, light snacks and cider as you learn basic arrangement techniques and create your masterpiece. Freshly-cut greens (pine, arborvitae, boxwood, spruce, holly, etc.), cones and ribbons are provided. No experience needed. Price is per centerpiece (not per person). Please bring pruners and gloves. Check out our Festive Holiday Display workshop (RP4861.101, page 26) if you would like to create a wooden decoration usable for multiple seasons in a workshop where children 12 yrs and older may participate.

RP4862.101 18 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr Dec 8 1-3pm Sa \$45

"This was festive and fun, and let me feel like I was getting to take a break from being so busy!"

Friday Late Nights in the NatureSphere Page 24

NEW! Bethlehem's Star Dec 6 & 7 Page 25

Adults 55 Years +

- If you would like this Guide in a larger font, contact Susan Potts, 410-313-4628.
- See additional activities in the Adults (18 yrs +) section.
- Listed by earliest start date.

Space Matters

Join us one Thursday a month in our planetarium to discover all about what lies beyond our planet! Each program features a presentation about current happenings in the sky and recent developments in space science. Some presentations are complemented with a half-hour movie projected in 360° on the planetarium's domed ceiling or with hands-on demonstrations. See below for show dates, topics and featured films. Please note we require attendees to check in and be seated 15 minutes prior to the show. Due to dark conditions, we cannot safely accommodate late seating.

55 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr 2:30-3:45pm Th \$9

RP4804.101	Theme: View From Above	
	Film: Passport to the Universe	Sep 6
RP4804.102	Theme: The Invisible Universe	
	Film: Wildest Weather in the Universe	Oct 4
RP4804.103	Theme: Galaxies	
	Film: Stars	Nov 1

NEW! Grandparents Day at Robinson Sep 9 Page 13

NEW! Stroll and Paint

Get active, and get artsy as you enjoy walking in - and capturing by brush stroke - the beauty of the outdoors! Discover nature's early autumn wonders through a guided stroll on the grounds of the Robinson Nature Center. Then, enjoy an opportunity to relax and paint "en plein air" (outdoors) while experienced artist Tara S. Holl shares painting techniques to capture landscapes, structures, water compositions, and close-ups of flora. Pack a snack, or your lunch, and continue to enjoy the grounds and paint at your leisure after the program ends. A materials list is provided upon registration. You may choose to work in watercolor, acrylic, or oil. Easels will be provided. No prior experience needed!

55 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr

RP4843.101 Sep 14 9am-noon F \$35

Fall Geocaching at Robinson Nature Center

Discover a whole new way to navigate in nature! Explore the grounds of the Robinson Nature Center during a fall afternoon as you navigate through the woods using GPS technology. Enjoy a brief presentation on the history behind GPS technology and how it works. Then, learn how to use a handheld GPS unit to navigate along the Center's trails as you search for hidden caches. Please wear close-toed, sturdy shoes. Trails include both paved pathways and unsurfaced paths. Registration/Info: 410-313-0400.

55 yrs + Robinson Nature Ctr

RP4842.101 Sep 27 2:30-4:30pm Th \$9

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Home School

- For Pre-Home & Home School Classes, there are three seasons of classes (fall, winter and spring) that focus on different themes. (Themes are listed in course descriptions.)
- Parents may attend classes with their child(ren) at no cost.
- Siblings younger than 4 years old are welcome, but must be accompanied by a parent at all times.
- All participants must complete a participant form, which will be emailed out prior to each season.
- Info: Robinson Nature Center, 410-313-0400 or mdowney@howardcountymd.gov.

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NEW! Pre-Home School Classes

Fall 2018-Spring 2019

Give your young home schoolers a chance to learn skills and gain exposure to nature and science topics at an age-appropriate pace. Sign up for one session (3 classes) on your preferred day of the week for each season in which you have interest. **Fall Session Topics** (Earth Science): Oceans, Life Underground, Weather. **Winter Session Topics** (STEAM): What is Science?, Let's Build!, Outdoor Art. **Spring Session Topics** (Food Web): Animals, Plants, Nature's Recyclers.

4-5 yrs	Robinson Nature Ctr	2:30-4pm	\$30 per child, per season	Classes: 3
RP4885.101	Fall - 1 st Thursdays	Sep 6, Oct 4, Nov 1, 2018		
RP4885.111	Fall - 1 st Fridays	Sep 7, Oct 5, Nov 2, 2018		
RP4885.121	Fall - 2 nd Thursdays	Sep 13, Oct 11, Nov 8, 2018		
RP4885.201	Winter - 1 st Thursdays	Dec 6, 2018, Jan 3, Feb 7, 2019		
RP4885.211	Winter - 1 st Fridays	Dec 7, 2018, Jan 4, Feb 8*, 2019		
RP4885.221	Winter - 2 nd Thursdays	Dec 13, 2018, Jan 10, Feb 14, 2019		
RP4885.301	Spring - 1 st Thursdays	Mar 7, Apr 4, May 2, 2019		
RP4885.311	Spring - 1 st Fridays	Mar 8*, Apr 5, May 3, 2019		
RP4885.321	Spring - 2 nd Thursdays	Mar 14, Apr 11, May 9, 2019		

*Classes fall on the second Friday of the month.

NEW! Home School Classes

Fall 2018-Spring 2019

Give your home school students hands-on, immersive experiences in nature and science. Sign up for one session (3 classes) on your preferred day of the week for each season in which you have interest. **Fall Session** (Earth Science): Oceans & Rivers, Soil, Weather & Climate. **Winter Session** (STEAM): Science Investigations, Engineering, Outdoor Art. **Spring Session** (Food Web): Consumers, Producers, Decomposers. Info: 410-313-0400.

6-9 yrs	Robinson Nature Ctr	2:30-4pm	\$30 per child, per season	Classes: 3
RP4885.102	Fall - 1 st Thursdays	Sep 6, Oct 4, Nov 1, 2018		
RP4885.112	Fall - 1 st Fridays	Sep 7, Oct 5, Nov 2, 2018		
RP4885.122	Fall - 2 nd Thursdays	Sep 13, Oct 11, Nov 8, 2018		
RP4885.202	Winter - 1 st Thursdays	Dec 6, 2018 & Jan 3, Feb 7, 2019		
RP4885.212	Winter - 1 st Fridays	Dec 7, 2018 & Jan 4, Feb 8*, 2019		
RP4885.222	Winter - 2 nd Thursdays	Dec 13, 2018 & Jan 10, Feb 14, 2019		
RP4885.302	Spring - 1 st Thursdays	Mar 7, Apr 4, May 2, 2019		
RP4885.312	Spring - 1 st Fridays	Mar 8*, Apr 5, May 3, 2019		
RP4885.322	Spring - 2 nd Thursdays	Mar 14, Apr 11, May 9, 2019		

*Classes fall on the second Friday of the month.

9-13 yrs	Robinson Nature Ctr	2:30-4pm	\$30 per child, per season	Classes: 3
RP4885.103	Fall - 1 st Thursdays	Sep 6, Oct 4, Nov 1, 2018		
RP4885.113	Fall - 1 st Fridays	Sep 7, Oct 5, Nov 2, 2018		
RP4885.203	Winter - 1 st Thursdays	Dec 6, 2018 & Jan 3, Feb 7, 2019		
RP4885.213	Winter - 1 st Fridays	Dec 7, 2018 & Jan 4, Feb 8*, 2019		
RP4885.303	Spring - 1 st Thursdays	Mar 7, Apr 4, May 2, 2019		
RP4885.313	Spring - 1 st Fridays	Mar 8*, Apr 5, May 3, 2019		

*Classes are on the second Friday of the month.

NEW! Home School Seasonal Workshops

Fall 2018-Spring 2019

At the end of each season of home school classes, join us for a culminating workshop and celebration! Tie together each season's learning through interactive activities. Connect with other home school families in an informal learning environment. Children socialize and collaborate with one another on parent-assisted educational projects and imaginative play opportunities. Each adult and child that plans on attending must register individually for the workshop. Price per person/per season. Please note, there is no online registration. Info: 410-313-0400.

4-13 yrs w/ registered adult	Robinson Nature Ctr	2:30-4:30pm	\$7
RP4885.150	Fall culminating workshop	Nov 15, 2018	
RP4885.250	Winter culminating workshop	Feb 21, 2019	
RP4885.350	Spring culminating workshop	May 16, 2019	

To register, visit
www.howardcountymd.gov/rap
 or call 410-313-7275.



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Heritage Programs

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Archaeology In Your Community

Do you have an interest in history? Ever find an artifact and wonder what it was, or want to experiment with ancient technologies? Join us for a series of hands-on workshops in partnership with the Upper Patuxent Archaeology Group. Each month come and get your hands dirty learning about the archaeology and cultural heritage of Howard County through research, material culture and experimental archaeology. Info: Kelly Palich, 410-313-0423 or kpalich@howardcountymd.gov.

10 yrs + Heritage Program Office Free for members of UPAG

RP9979.110	Archaeology	Sep 10	7-8pm	M	\$5
RP9979.111	Research	Oct 8	7-8pm	M	\$5
RP9979.112	Material Culture	Nov 12	7-8pm	M	\$5
RP9979.113	Flintknapping	Dec 10	7-8pm	M	\$5

NEW! Intro to H.O. Model Railroading

Come and learn what steps you need to take to get your first model railroad display on track! Class is taught by members of the Meade Area Railroad Society (MARRS), who maintains the museum's amazing H.O. gauge model train display depicting the original 13 miles of track from Baltimore to Ellicott Mills. Info: Jake Feirson, 410-313-2922 or jfeirson@howardcountymd.gov.

RP9977.101 14 yrs + B&O EC Station Museum Sep 16 5:30-7:30pm Su \$15

Experimental Archaeology

Learn how archaeologists use "experimental archaeology" to better understand the material culture they find when they excavate. Experimental archaeology is a process by which an archaeologist replicates artifacts and features, such as structures, tools, or ancient technologies to better understand how they were made and used. Join staff and primitive skills specialists as we explore ancient tool manufacture by flintknapping stone tools, practice with a spear and atlatl (spear thrower), construct a debris hut, and explore other lost skills using traditional methods. Bring a nut-free lunch and reusable water bottle. Info: Emily Mosher, 410-313-0419 or emosher@howardcountymd.gov.

Living Farm Heritage Museum

RP9980.103	8-17 yrs	Nov 3	9am-3pm	Sa	\$25
RP9980.104	18 yrs +	Nov 3	9am-3pm	Sa	\$50

Pre-K

Rails and Tales: Preschool Story time

Hop aboard the story train! Bring your little one out to a discovery story time at some of our historic sites in Ellicott City. Hear stories about how life was long (or not so long!) ago, play old time games, and make a history craft you can take home. Themes change each month, so be sure to visit us several times. Info: Emily Mosher, 410-313-0419 or emosher@howardcountymd.gov.



Intro to H.O. Model Railroading helps give you tips on how to make a model train display!

2-5 yrs \$3

RP9982.101	B&O EC Station Museum	Sep 8	10:30-11am	Sa
RP9982.102	EC Colored Sch Restored	Sep 18	10:30-11am	Tu
RP9982.103	B&O EC Station Museum	Oct 13	10:30-11am	Sa
RP9982.104	EC Colored Sch Restored	Oct 16	10:30-11am	Tu
RP9982.105	B&O EC Station Museum	Nov 10	10:30-11am	Sa
RP9982.106	Firehouse Museum	Nov 20	10:30-11am	Tu
RP9982.107	B&O EC Station Museum	Dec 8	10:30-11am	Sa
RP9982.108	Firehouse Museum	Dec 18	10:30-11am	Tu

NEW! Paint and Sippy Cup

It's toddler play time with a historic twist! Bring your little one and join us for a morning of crafts and fun. Fill their sippy cup with their favorite Juice or beverage and let them enjoy our age appropriate crafts. No charge for parents but they must remain with their children for the duration of the program. Info: Jake Feirson, 410-313-2922 or jfeirson@howardcountymd.gov

RP9983.101 2-4 yrs B&O EC Station Museum Oct 20 9-11am Sa \$10

Youth

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Kids Night at the Museum

Want a date night with your significant other? Need to shop for the holiday season? Then come bring your children to us! Children have a blast doing historic, holiday-themed crafts and going on a detective mission to uncover historical facts about the Ellicott City Station. Let them get their hands dirty making applesauce and cinnamon ornaments, candle making, scent sachets, and more! Drop-ins welcome! Info: Jake Feirson, 410-313-2922 or jfeirson@howardcountymd.gov.

4-11 yrs B&O EC Station Museum 4-9pm Th \$15

RP9976.101	Sep 7	RP9976.104	Oct 26
RP9976.102	Sep 14	RP9976.105	Nov 2
RP9976.103	Oct 5	RP9976.106	Nov 16

School's Out: Black History is American History

Spend the day in Ellicott City as we explore some of the history and experiences of the African-American community in Howard County. Discover the history of local trailblazers such as Benjamin Banneker and Decatur Dorsey. See what school was like at the start of the 20th century, and try your hand at making marbles, playing historical games, and navigating before GPS. Info: Emily Mosher, 410-313-0419 or emosher@howardcountymd.gov.

RP9979.101	8-12 yrs	EC Colored Sch Restored	Sep 10	9am-3pm	M	\$35
RP9979.102		After Care	Sep 10	3-5pm	M	\$10



Telegraphs, Codes, Communication is one of many programs at the B&O Ellicott City Station Museum on days schools are closed.

History Days for Girl Scouts

Enjoy hands-on scouting fun! Themes include a visit to the B&O Ellicott City Station Museum to learn about the power of trains and simple machines, a visit to Patapsco Female Institute to become a history detective through archaeology, a visit to Howard County Living Farm Museum to try your hand at primitive skills the Native Americans, or discover what it was like to live during the Victorian era at Waverly Mansion. Each workshop focuses on many badge requirements for Daisy, Brownie, and Junior Scouts. Info: Emily Mosher, 410-313-0419 or emosher@howardcountymd.gov.

5-8 yrs

RP9985.101	B&O EC Station Museum	Sep 16	10am-noon	Su	\$10
RP9985.103	Patapsco Female Institute	Oct 21	10am-noon	Su	\$10
RP9985.105	Living Farm Heritage Museum	Nov 4	10am-noon	Su	\$10
RP9985.107	Waverly Mansion	Dec 9	10am-noon	Su	\$10

8-11 yrs

RP9985.102	B&O EC Station Museum	Sep 16	1-3pm	Su	\$10
RP9985.104	Patapsco Female Institute	Oct 21	1-3pm	Su	\$10
RP9985.106	Living Farm Heritage Museum	Nov 4	1-3pm	Su	\$10
RP9985.108	Waverly Mansion	Dec 9	1-3pm	Su	\$10

School's Out: Telegraphs, Codes, Communication

Step back in time to when there were no cell phones, tablets, or computers and experience the first methods of sending messages. Write your own message in Morse code and type it using authentic telegraph equipment; create a cypher; and write your own Civil War code. Learn how these coding methods were needed in the 1800's during the Civil War and how this form of sending messages was essential to our nation's growth. Enjoy crafts and activities! Info: Jake Feirson 410-313-2922 or jfeirson@howardcountymd.gov.

RP9979.103	7-13 yrs	B&O EC Station Museum	Sep 19	9am-3pm	Th	\$50
RP9979.104		After Care	Sep 19	3-5pm	Th	\$10

NEW! School's Out: Election Day Excitement

On this Election Day special of Schools Out, the B&O Ellicott City Station Museum hosts a variety of interactive and informative crafts and activities that focus on America's election process as well as famous presidents and politicians of the 18th and 19th century such as George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. Did you know that the first ever standing president to ride a train was Andrew Jackson? He just so happened to ride on the B&O

line from Ellicott Mills to Baltimore! Info: Jake Feirson, 410-313-2922 or jfeirson@howardcountymd.gov.

RP9979.125	5-12 yrs	B&O EC Station Museum	Nov 6	9am-3pm	F	\$50
RP9979.126		After Care	Nov 6	3-5pm	F	\$10

School's Out: For the Union

Uncle Sam wants you! For one day, enlist in the Union Army and help protect the streets and railroad of Old Ellicott City. Dress up and spend the day with a Civil War re-enactor, and learn what it would take to defend the city, like the Union Patapsco Guard Unit in 1861. Learn the history through conducting drills, marches, and daily duties. Enjoy a lunch cooked over an open fire (weather permitting). Info: Jake Feirson, 410-313-2922 or jfeirson@howardcountymd.gov.

RP9979.115	7-11 yrs	B&O EC Station Museum	Oct 19	9am-3pm	F	\$65
RP9979.116		After Care	Oct 19	3-5pm	F	\$10

School's Out: S.T.E.A.M. Into History

The Patapsco River Valley is historically considered a first in technology, engineering, communication, and transportation. Simple machines, such as the wheel, lever, and pulley, aided in the creation of these innovations. Tour Ellicott City's Main Street and search for historic simple machines that helped members of the community. Participate in a "Maker's Faire," working with simple machines to test out historical science, engineering, and technology-based experiments. Info: Emily Mosher, 410-313-0419 or emosher@howardcountymd.gov.

RP9979.105	5-12 yrs	B&O EC Station Museum	Nov 7	9am-3pm	W	\$35
RP9979.106		After Care	Nov 7	3-5pm	W	\$10

Lifelong Learning

Info: Jake Feirson, 410-313-2922 or jfeirson@howardcountymd.gov.

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Ellicott City in the Civil War—A Torn Town?

Celebrate the anniversary of the arrival of the 12th NJ Volunteers in Ellicott's Mills in 1862. Hear about their time in the area plus John Brown's Raid, a 1,000 man Union Camp, the Patapsco Guards, a gun that could fire 250 rounds per minute, a tomb of unknown soldiers, and more. Presented by MD History Tours.

RP9981.101	21 yrs +	B&O EC Station Museum	Sep 8	7-9pm	Sa	\$15
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Spirits of the Patapsco River Valley

On the night of the full harvest moon, gather around for stories of ghostly happenings from Ellicott City through the river valley to Catonsville! Various visitors to the region claim to have seen UFOs, Bigfoot, gnomes (yes, gnomes!) and ghosts. Presented by Maryland History Tours, this event focuses on spirit activity in one of the most reportedly haunted cities in MD, and possibly the U.S!

RP9981.102	21 yrs +	B&O EC Station Museum	Oct 24	7-9pm	W	\$15
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A Brush with History

Want to create your own masterpiece? Stop by for a night of painting historic scenes of Old Ellicott City while enjoying the creative atmosphere in America's oldest surviving railroad station. Let an artist guide you in making your own interpretation of a selected painting. Every month paint a different scene in town. Learn about the history behind each site you paint. No experience needed. Materials and supplies are provided. Bring your favorite beverage and snack and let's get creative!

21 yrs + B&O EC Station Museum 6:30-10pm Th \$35

RP9975.101	Sep 6	RP9975.103	Nov 1
RP9975.102	Oct 4	RP9975.104	Dec 6

Child Care

Howard County Recreation & Parks offers Recreational Licensed Child Care (RLC) programs for preschool (ELC) through middle school students, along with our Therapeutic Recreation Inclusion Opportunities (TRIO). Our goal is to provide a safe and structured environment for children to have fun while participating in meaningful group recreational activities.

Before a child can participate, parents must complete all licensing and required paperwork, including a health inventory, which requires a physical. All programs must meet and maintain minimum enrollment requirements to run. Fees are subject to change.

Special accommodations or interpretive services can be provided at no additional cost but are not guaranteed; a request must be made at the time of registration. Because of the presence of children with severe allergic reactions, nuts and nut products are not served or permitted at any RLC programs.

If space is available, a \$50 non-refundable registration fee is required to enroll. If a program has already filled, you may place your child's name on the waiting list at no cost.

All RLC programs have a behavioral policy with standards of conduct enforced through the use of discipline, up to and including suspension and expulsion from the program. The primary concern of the Department must be the safety and well-being of all participants, even though it may cause inconvenience to parents in a particular case. The Department makes every effort to assist children and their parents in modifying a child's behavior before their actions become a serious enough threat to require suspension. See the Parent Manual for a complete policy statement.

For a list of who to contact and additional program information, visit www.howardcountymd.gov/rap and click on Licensed Child Care. For space availability, call 410-313-7275.

Early Learning Center

Early Learning Centers provide a safe, nurturing, active and creative learning environment for each child. Throughout the program, the children enjoy building the skills needed for kindergarten (social and emotional development, reading and math readiness and fine and gross motor skills). They also participate in hands-on activities, including arts and crafts, science, nature, music, drama, multicultural and cooking. There are instructional and self-directed activities throughout the day. All programs are successful participants in the Maryland EXCELS program. Staff is trained in continuing early childhood education classes yearly. Parents provide snack/lunch. Children must be toilet-trained and meet the age requirement by September 1, 2018. If class minimums are not met, a combined class is offered. Info: Brian Murphy, 410-313-4797 or bmurphy@howardcountymd.gov.

Bushy Pk ES / Director: Melissa Conrad / 410-313-5499

RP2252	3 yrs	9:30am-1:30pm	M,W	\$256, month
RP2252	4 yrs	9:30am-3pm	M,W,F	\$528, month

Roger Carter Comm Ctr / Director: Keisha Hopkins / 410-313-2749

RP2292	3-5 yrs	9:30am-3pm	M-F	\$660, month
RP2292	3-5 yrs	8:30am-4:30pm	M-F	\$799, month

Triadelphia Ridge ES / Director: Linda Hitzelberger / 410-313-5471

RP2266	3 yrs	9-11:30am	M,W,Th	\$242, month
RP2266	4 yrs	9-1pm	M-Th	\$448, month

Elementary School Before & After Care

Before & After Care for Elementary School 2018-2019 Academic Year

This licensed program provides varied recreational activities. The Before Care offers low-key programming while the After Care incorporates a structured energetic format. Activities include crafts, games, sports, special events and intramural competitions throughout the school year. To promote good health and wellness, we implement heart-healthy activities. Our curriculum is weekly, theme-based and focuses on healthy eating habits and active play to encourage and educate children to make positive life choices. All programs are licensed through the Maryland State Department of Education's Office of Child Care and are participants in the Maryland EXCELS programs. Info: RLC office, 410-313-3706.

Grades K-5 Before School 7am to beginning of school day \$207, month

Grades K-5 After School End of school day to 6pm \$318, month

Grades K-5 Before & After School 7am-6pm \$459, month

RP2050	Bellows Spring ES	RP2059	Ilchester ES
RP2051	Bollman Bridge ES	RP2060	Laurel Woods ES
RP2052	Bushy Pk ES	RP2061	Lisbon ES
RP2049	Dayton Oaks ES	RP2062	Manor Woods ES
RP2053	Deep Run ES	RP2063	Pointers Run ES
RP2070	Ducketts Lane ES	RP2064	Rockburn ES
RP2054	Elkridge ES	RP2065	St. John's Lane ES
RP2055	Forest Ridge ES	RP2066	Triadelphia Ridge ES
RP2056	Fulton ES	RP2069	Veterans ES
RP2057	Gorman Crossing ES	RP2067	Waverly ES
RP2071	Hanover Hills ES	RP2068	West Friendship ES
RP2058	Hollifield Station ES		

Elementary Optional Full Day Programs

When school is closed for students, RLC has all-day programs at select locations. Kids have a blast participating in a variety of recreation activities! Morning and afternoon snack provided. Parents, please send a bag lunch and drink marked with your child's name. Please ensure the lunch is nut-free.

Grades K-5

Info: Lakishia Major, 410-313-4717, lmajor@howardcountymd.gov

RP2057.190	Gorman Crossing ES	Oct 19	7am-6pm	F	\$45
RP2064.190	Rockburn ES	Oct 19	7am-6pm	F	\$45
RP2067.190	Waverly ES	Oct 19	7am-6pm	F	\$45

Info: Donna Jackson-Parker, 410-313-1696, djacksonparker@howardcountymd.gov

RP2050.191	Bellows Spring ES	Nov 7	7am-6pm	W	\$45
RP2055.191	Forest Ridge ES	Nov 7	7am-6pm	W	\$45
RP2065.191	St. John's Lane ES	Nov 7	7am-6pm	W	\$45

Info: Julia Martin, 410-313-1687, jmartin@howardcountymd.gov

RP2051.192	Bollman Bridge ES	Nov 21	7am-6pm	W	\$45
RP2054.192	Elkridge ES	Nov 21	7am-6pm	W	\$45
RP2058.192	Hollifield Station ES	Nov 21	7am-6pm	W	\$45

To register, visit
www.howardcountymd.gov/rap
or call 410-313-7275.



Middle School After Care

"Can-TEEN Club" Middle School After-School Program

Our licensed after-school program provides a safe and high-quality environment for teens that enhances leadership skills and develops future leaders. Activities include educational and academic experiences while promoting positive thinking. Each location offers homework time, snack, sporting events and craft projects as part of the daily schedule. "YOLO" Fridays (You Only Live Once) encourages healthy eating and exercise essential to everyday living. Participants engage in community service outings and events that include visiting Rec & Parks sponsored after-school programs to mentor 4th & 5th grade students. Special events and outings may require additional fees. All programs are licensed through the Maryland State Department of Education's Office of Child Care and are participants in the Maryland EXCELS programs. Info: Lakishia Major, 410-313-4717 or lmajor@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 6-8 Bonnie Branch MS End of school day-6pm

RP2370.111	5 days	\$299, month	RP2370.131	3 days	\$180, month
RP2370.121	2 days	\$120, month			

Grades 6-8 Elkridge Landing MS End of school day-6pm

RP2372.111	5 days	\$299, month	RP2372.131	3 days	\$180, month
RP2372.121	2 days	\$120, month			

Grades 6-8 Folly Quarter MS End of school day-6pm

RP2374.111	5 days	\$299, month	RP2374.131	3 days	\$180, month
RP2374.121	2 days	\$120, month			

Grades 6-8 Lime Kiln MS End of school day-6pm

RP2376.111	5 days	\$299, month	RP2376.131	3 days	\$180, month
RP2376.121	2 days	\$120, month			

Grades 6-8 Thomas Viaduct MS End of school day-6pm

RP2382.111	5 days	\$299, month	RP2382.131	3 days	\$180, month
RP2382.121	2 days	\$120, month			

Therapeutic Recreation & Inclusion Services

- For information on Howard County Recreation & Parks programming for individuals with disabilities, contact Susan L. Potts, MS, CTRS at 410-313-4628 or spotts@howardcountymd.gov or Chloe Hodge, CTRS at 410-313-1671 or chodge@howardcountymd.gov.
- Please do not arrive at programs more than five minutes before the start of the program. Be ready to leave as soon as the program is over. Supervision is not provided before the scheduled start time. Excessive early drop-offs and late pick-ups may result in being dropped from the program.
- Program schedule and dates are subject to change due to accessibility, weather and vendor availability.
- No refunds will be given to schedule conflicts.
- Programs listed by category, then age, then alphabetical.

After School

Therapeutic Recreation

Inclusion Opportunities (TRIO)

This therapeutic-based program offers individuals with developmental disabilities an age-appropriate environment with leisure life skills, community integration, therapeutic swimming, animal-assisted therapy, functional intervention, and skill development for transitioning. Program is not held when schools are closed. Selected full-day schedule available. Staff-to-participant ratio is 1:3 for the school and 1:5 for the park. No transportation provided to site.

13-21 yrs 2-6pm M-F \$380 per month

Cedar Lane School

RP2501.111	Sep
RP2501.112	Oct
RP2501.113	Nov
RP2501.114	Dec

Cedar Lane Park

RP2501.121	Sep
RP2501.122	Oct
RP2501.123	Nov
RP2501.124	Dec

Aquatics

Aquatic Skills Development

This semi-private skills session provides opportunities for increased endurance, core strengthening, and skills refinement for individuals with developmental disabilities who swim competitively. Participants should be able to swim multiple lengths of the pool independently. Goals: Increase endurance level, enhance core strength, develop breathing techniques, and refine swim strokes for competition.

13-49 yrs Classes: 8

RP4200.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	7:30-8pm	Tu	\$75
RP4200.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	8-8:30pm	Tu	\$75

Splashes

Learn and improve swimming skills in this aquatics program for children with disabilities. Siblings can register one week after open registration. Participants are divided into groups based on skill level. Goal: Improve gross motor skills, increase self-confidence, and improve ability to understand directions.

6-8 yrs Splashes - 1 Classes: 8

RP4205.101	Cedar Lane School	Sep 13	6:10-6:45pm	Th	\$68
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8-11 yrs Splashes - 2 Classes: 8

RP4205.102	Cedar Lane School	Sep 13	6:50-7:25pm	Th	\$68
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Halloween Among the Trees

Robinson Nature Center

October 20
9am-noon & 1-4pm

See page 15

- A Halloween adventure for all ages
- Trick-or-treat along trails
- Enjoy music, crafts and live animals
- Tyke-friendly challenges and healthy treats



No online registration. For more information or to register call: 410-313-0400.
www.howardcountymd.gov/RNCtrickortreat



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Saturday Splash

Adults and children with developmental disabilities may experience the warm aquatic pool at their own pace. Participants may require someone to accompany them in the pool at the discretion of staff. Goal: Increase range of motion, self-confidence, enhance fitness level and provide sensory stimulation. Lifeguard provided; supervision is required by the parent or caregiver.

2-12 yrs (Parent/Child) Classes: 6

RP4207.101 Cedar Lane School Sep 29 12:35-1:10pm Sa \$56

13-21 yrs Classes: 6

RP4207.102 Cedar Lane School Sep 29 1:15-1:50pm Sa \$56

22 yrs + Classes: 6

RP4207.103 Cedar Lane School Sep 29 1:55-2:30pm Sa \$56

Waverunners

Sharpen swimming skills and improve fitness in this aquatics program for teens and adults with disabilities. Some participants may require someone to accompany them in the pool at the discretion of staff. Siblings may register one week after open registration. Goal: Increase range of motion, self-confidence, and improve ability to understand directions.

3-24 yrs Classes: 8

RP4213.101 Cedar Lane School Sep 13 7:30-8:05pm Th \$68

Open Swim

Adults with developmental disabilities may exercise in a warm aquatic tank at their own pace. This is an open swim opportunity with no formal instruction provided. Participants may require someone to accompany them in the pool at the discretion of staff. Goal: Increase range of motion, self-confidence, and enhance fitness level.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP4309.101 Cedar Lane School Sep 11 7:10-7:55pm Tu \$56

Open Swim For 55 yrs + Page 60

Therapeutic Private Swim Lessons

Learn and improve swimming skills in a private 1:1 lesson format. Child must have a disability. Goal: Improve gross motor skills, increase confidence in the water and ability to float, practice basic swim strokes and breathing skills.

2-4 yrs Classes: 8

RP4202.101 Cedar Lane School Sep 12 6:10-6:40pm W \$194

RP4202.102 Cedar Lane School Sep 12 6:45-7:15pm W \$194

5-12 yrs Classes: 8

RP4202.105 Cedar Lane School Sep 12 8:10-8:40pm Th \$194

6-11 yrs Classes: 8

RP4202.103 Cedar Lane School Sep 12 7:20-7:50pm W \$194

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Cooking

Instructional Cooking

Participants learn basic kitchen safety and food prep with simple recipes to take home. They explore cooking with a microwave, cook-top and oven. Participants must be able to function in a 1:5 staff-to-participant ratio. Goal: Demonstrate safe use of cooking utensils, demonstrate safe use of a cook top stove and oven, and explore new recipes for healthy cooking.

16-27 yrs Classes: 6

RP4209.101 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Sep 22 10-11:30am Sa \$168

22-39 yrs Classes: 6

RP4209.102 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Sep 21 10:30am-noon F \$168



Our themed dances for teens and adults with developmental disabilities are very popular - so sign up early!

Crafts & Fine Arts

Expressions of Art

Express yourself! Teens and adults with developmental disabilities may expand their creativity using a variety of art materials. This weekday art program allows participants to express themselves creatively using a multitude of artistic modalities. Paint, sculpt, and draw their own creations in a group setting. Some of the artwork produced will be displayed in the No Boundaries Art Exhibit. Goals: Increase fine motor coordination, develop cultural art leisure skills, and improve ability to understand directions.

13 yrs + Classes: 8

RP4302.101 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Sep 22 12:15-1:45pm Sa \$105

22 yrs + Classes: 8

RP4302.102 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Sep 19 10:45am-12:15pm W \$105

Dance

Dances

Teens and adults with developmental disabilities enjoy dancing, socializing, and music by DJ Chris Andrews. Snacks and refreshments are provided.

13 yrs + Bain 50+ Ctr Classes: 1

RP4301.101 Under the Sea Dance Sep 15 7-10pm Sa \$20

RP4301.102 Halloween Dance Oct 20 7-10pm Sa \$20

RP4301.103 Stompin' Boogie Nov 17 7-10pm Sa \$20

RP4301.104 Winter Wonderland Dec 1 7-10pm Sa \$20

Enrichment

Green Thumb Club

Adults with developmental disabilities practice their gardening skills in this weekday social horticulture program. Learn to germinate, grow and harvest flowers, vegetables and herbs in a group setting and take home your crop at the end of the season! Goals: Increase fine motor functioning, improve social skills and understanding of gardening practices. Participants caregiver must remain on site.

22 yrs + Classes: 8

RP4311.101 Robinson Nature Ctr Sep 12 1:30-3pm W \$83

Teen Venture

Teens must have moderate-to-high-functioning level of independence and require minimal assistance with personal skills to be functionally independent. Staff-to-participant ratio is 1:4. Fee includes all activities except dining. Goal: Increase awareness of others in social situations as well as leisure activities and skills.

Girls Night Out - Teen Venture

Teenage girls with mild-to-moderate developmental disabilities, spend time with your peers at various community outings.

13-20 yrs Girls Classes: 6

RP4206.101 Sep 14 6:30-9:30pm F \$185

Guys Night Out - Teen Venture

Teenage boys with mild-to-moderate developmental disabilities, spend time with your peers at various community outings.

13-21 yrs Boys Classes: 6

RP4206.102 Sep 15 6:30-9:30pm Sa \$185

The Safety Project

Men and women with intellectual disabilities are at a high risk for abuse. The Safety Project was developed to address this risk. This safety education program includes mini-lectures, discussions, group activities, action planning, feedback, problem solving, and relaxation exercises. Topics include healthy relationships and boundaries; types and warning signs of abuse; trauma and other effects of abuse; coping and help-seeking skills; safety planning skills; and disability rights.

18-34 yrs Classes: 8

RP4321.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 6 6:30-8:30pm Th \$188

Friday Night Socials

Adults with developmental disabilities, enjoy this casual group with easy going activities and socializing. Staff provide activity facilitation; caregivers must accompany at staff's discretion. Goal: Increase self-awareness through leisure experiences, improve social etiquette, and increase ability to listen to others.

22-79 yrs Classes: 6

RP4306.101 Sep 21 7:30-9pm F \$130

Out & About

Adults with mild developmental disabilities, enjoy community outings and social activities. Adults must have moderate-to-high functioning level of independence and require minimal assistance with personal skills to be functionally independent. Staff-to-participant ratio is 1:5. Goal: Increase self-awareness through environmental orientation, improve social etiquette, and increase ability to listen to others. Fee is inclusive of activities other than dining.

Classes: 6

RP4308.101 22-52 yrs Various locations Sep 14 6:30-9:30pm F \$192

RP4308.102 22-49 yrs Various locations Sep 15 6:30-9:30pm Sa \$192

Music & Theater Arts

Evening at the Theatre - Toby's *Little Mermaid*

Join us for Toby's production of the *Little Mermaid*, based on the animated 1989 the Disney film of the same name and the classic by Hans Christian Andersen about a mermaid who dreams of the world above the sea and gives up her voice to find love. Participants must be able to function in 1:5 staff to participant ratio. Fee includes dinner and beverage.

22-49 yrs Classes: 1

RP4314.101 Toby's Dinner Theatre Dec 15 6:15-11:15pm Sa \$67

NEW! Excel Drama: *Newsies* on Stage!

"Seize the Day" with this drama opportunity for teens and adults with mild to moderate disabilities. Students work together as a theatrical team as they learn and improve their singing, dancing, and acting skills. With staff support, students work towards singing independently with accompaniment. Vocal sound track used to assist with learning vocal parts (with a goal of removing the vocal guides once comfortable with the music). Students also gain a basic knowledge of drama skills such as stage directions, projection, articulation, character development, and more. The session culminates with two final showcase performances. Dress rehearsals: 12/2, 12/3, 5:30-9pm. Final showcases of songs & scenes from Disney's *Newsies*: 12/8, 12/9.

5-25 yrs Classes: 10

RP4304.101 Drama Learning Ctr Sep 24 5:30-7:30pm M \$355

Improv

Feeling relaxed in social situations is a skill you can develop. It can be difficult to socialize and make friends for many individuals with autism and other disabilities. This improv group helps you learn to read body language and others' emotions that don't always come easily.

18 yrs + Classes: 6

RP4322.101 TBD Oct 3 7-8:30pm W \$125

No Boundaries

In this musical theater class, young adults with mild to moderate disabilities sing, dance and act while performing segments from Broadway musical. The class ends with a public performance tentatively scheduled for late May or early June 2019. Program meets for 10 weeks. Goal: Increase self-awareness, increase confidence and self-expression. Presented in cooperation with the Howard County Arts Council.

18 yrs + Howard County Ctr for the Arts Classes: 30

RP4303.101 Sep 11 5-6:15pm Tu \$350

RP4303.102 Sep 11 6:30-7:45pm Tu \$350

Sports

Pinbusters Bowling League

Adults with developmental disabilities, enjoy socializing with your peers. Bowl one or two games per week. Fee includes shoe rental and bowling fee. Goal: Increase self-awareness through environmental orientation, increase ability to listen and interact with others.

34 yrs + Classes: 8

RP4312.101 Normandy Brunswick Lanes Sep 15 10:15-11:45am Sa \$98

Power Walkers Club

The Power Walkers Club is a walking club for adults with developmental disabilities to meet and exercise together at community centers and parks. Participants track their steps and log them each week. Prizes and incentives are provided for meeting challenge goals. Registration fee includes T-shirt and pedometer. Participant's caregiver is required to provide supervision. Staff supervision is not provided, only program facilitation.

22 yrs + Classes: 6

RP4319.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 11 10-11:30am Tu \$80

Strikes & Spares Bowling League

Teens with developmental disabilities, develop and improve bowling skills and learn proper bowling etiquette. Bowl one or two games per week. Fee includes shoe rental and bowling fee. Goal: Increase range of motion, improve athletic skills, and improve ability to stay on task.

13-33 yrs Classes: 8

RP4313.101 Normandy Brunswick Lanes Sep 15 10:15-11:45am Sa \$98



PRISMS

This therapeutic recreation program is designed for adults with a dementia-related diagnosis who may require additional assistance to safely participate in a leisure activity or volunteer opportunity. Prisms provides social interactions, recreation and leisure pursuits, and maintenance of functional abilities while providing extra support to facilitate aging-in-place. Staff can assist with activities of daily living. All levels of ability are welcome. Appropriateness for the program (i.e. ability to meet a participant's needs safely) must be determined prior to starting. Potential participants must complete an intake interview. Info/schedule intake interview: Susan Potts, 410-313-4628 or spotts@howardcountymd.gov.

50 yrs + Prisms Classes: 20

RP3503.101 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Sep 4 8am-1pm Tu,Th \$354

50 yrs + Prisms - Mini Session Classes: 12

RP3503.102 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Nov 13 8am-1pm Tu,Th \$216

Pre-K (0-5 yrs) Classes & Activities

• Programs listed by category, then age, then alphabetical

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Adventures in Learning

The Early Years Matter

Help your child get ready for kindergarten. Follow this progression of classes that help build your child's social and emotional skills. (You can start at any stage of this school-readiness program.) More and more children in Maryland are school-ready when they enter kindergarten. Make sure your child is one of them! Staff members do not change diapers.

Awesome Athletes, Amazing Artists (Parent/Child) flickr

If you enjoy being active and creative, this is the class for you! Explore sports, games, arts and crafts while meeting new friends! Spend the first half of class throwing, kicking and shooting with a variety of interactive gym games. Continue the fun in the second half of class with painting, pasting and creating an array of art projects! Parents are required to attend. (No class 10/19, 11/23.) Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

2-4 yrs Classes: 5

RP6973.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 21 9:30-10:30am F \$75

RP6973.102 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Nov 2 9:30-10:30am F \$75

Tots Discovery Jr.

This drop-off class is designed to foster increased independence through hands-on activities that develop social, cognitive and fine motor skills while exploring and meeting new friends. It's a wonderful way to make a seamless transition into our Tots Discovery classes. (No class 9/19, 10/3, 10/19, 11/7, 11/23, 11/21.) Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

2 yrs Classes: 12

RP3204.101 Gorman Crossing ES Sep 5 10-10:45am W \$189

RP3204.102 Rockburn ES Sep 7 10-10:45am F \$189

Tots Discovery

Is your two-year-old ready for a more challenging environment? This program provides enriching, positive experiences that allow children to have fun, explore the world around them and learn how to get along with others. Emphasis is on learning through play and building a foundation for a preschool experience. Thematic lessons are developmentally appropriate. To allow children time to adapt to this new environment, class meets for one hour the first day. Fee includes snack. Pay a \$45 non-refundable deposit to hold a spot for the second session. (No class 11/6, 11/20, 11/22.) Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

2 yrs Classes: 12

RP3201.101 Dayton Oaks ES Sep 4 10am-noon Tu,Th \$198

RP3201.102 Dayton Oaks ES Oct 16 10am-noon Tu,Th \$198

RP3201.103 Gorman Crossing ES Sep 4 10am-noon Tu,Th \$198

RP3201.104 Gorman Crossing ES Oct 16 10am-noon Tu,Th \$198

RP3201.105 Rockburn ES Sep 4 10am-noon Tu,Th \$198

RP3201.106 Rockburn ES Oct 16 10am-noon Tu,Th \$198

See page 15 for details.

All ages / Sat., Oct. 27 / 10am-1pm

\$2 for 2 yrs+; Free for under 2

Gary J. Arthur Community Center,
2400 Route 97, Cooksville, MD 21723

• Trick-or-treat at trucks, tractors,
emergency vehicles & more

• Children's activities • Live music
• Face painting • Hayrides
• Concessions • Story time

Information: 410-313-4840

Preschool Adventures Mini Session

Come join the adventure! Enjoy an exciting, physically active and well-rounded experience. Enriching activities include story time, music, and arts and crafts, along with sports-specific activities (including basketball, soccer, football and other preschool games) in the gym. Bring a nut-free lunch.

Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

2 yrs, 9 mos-5 yrs Classes: 8

RP6971.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 4 9:30am-1pm T-F \$160

Preschool Adventures

Come join the adventure! Children enjoy an exciting, physically active and well-rounded experience. Enriching activities include story time, music, arts and crafts, along with sports-specific activities (including volleyball, baseball, soccer and other sports) in the gym. Participants should bring a nut-free lunch and sneakers are highly recommended. (No class 10/3, 11/19-11/22.) Register for M-Th and receive a 10% discount off. Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

2 yrs, 9 mos-5 yrs Classes: 12

RP6971.102 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 24 9:30am-1pm M,W \$240

RP6971.103 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 25 9:30am-1pm Tu,Th \$240

2 yrs, 9 mos-5 yrs Classes: 24

RP6971.104 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 24 9:30am-1pm M-Th \$430

2 yrs, 9 mos-5 yrs Classes: 8

RP6971.105 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Nov 12 9:30am-1pm M,W \$160

RP6971.106 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Nov 13 9:30am-1pm Tu,Th \$160

2 yrs, 9 mos-5 yrs Classes: 16

RP6971.107 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Nov 12 9:30am-1pm M-Th \$289

My First School

This program is designed to help children make a successful transition to an independent experience. Children develop social skills while exploring the alphabet, games, music, movement, and art with a different theme each week. Fee includes snack. Pay a \$45 non-refundable deposit to hold a spot for the second session. (No class 10/3, 11/6, 11/7, 11/19-11/22.) Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

2 yrs, 9 mos-3 yrs, 9 mos Classes: 12

RP3202.101 Ilchester ES Sep 4 10am-noon Tu,Th \$198

RP3202.102 Ilchester ES Oct 16 10am-noon Tu,Th \$198

RP3202.103 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 4 10am-noon Tu,Th \$198

RP3202.104 N Laurel Comm Ctr Oct 16 10am-noon Tu,Th \$198

2 yrs, 9 mos-3 yrs, 9 mos Classes: 10

RP3202.106 Rockburn ES Nov 12 10am-noon M,W \$165

RP3202.105 Rockburn ES Sep 24 10am-noon M,W \$165

Step into School

This specialized program is designed to help your child get ready for kindergarten. Daily activities include writing workshops, reading readiness and math skills. Activities support school curriculum goals and encourage socialization and independence. Special themes help make learning fun! Fee includes snack. Pay a \$45 non-refundable deposit to hold a spot for the second session. (No class 10/3, 11/19, 11/21.) Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

3 yrs, 9 mos-4 yrs, 9 mos Classes: 12

RP3221.101 Ilchester ES Sep 24 10am-12:30pm M,W \$210

RP3221.103 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 24 9:30am-noon M,W \$210

3 yrs, 9 mos-4 yrs, 9 mos Classes: 10

RP3221.102 Ilchester ES Nov 12 10am-12:30pm M,W \$175

RP3221.104 N Laurel Comm Ctr Nov 12 9:30am-noon M,W \$175

Kindergarten Jump Start flickr

This academic program helps children prepare for a smooth transition into kindergarten. Through age-appropriate activities in reading readiness, math, science and social studies, participants engage in individual, small and large-group activities. Emphasis is on listening and following directions, starting and completing tasks, group cooperation and expected school behavior. Music, movement and art make learning fun! Participants should bring a nut-free lunch. (No class 10/3, 11/19-11/21.) Register for M-Th and receive a 10% discount off. Pay a \$45 non-refundable deposit to hold a spot for the second session. Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

4½-5 yrs Classes: 12

RP1727.101 Veterans ES Sep 24 10am-1:30pm M,W \$240

RP1727.102 Veterans ES Sep 25 10am-1:30pm Tu,Th \$240

4½-5 yrs Classes: 24

RP1727.103 Veterans ES Sep 24 10am-1pm M-Th \$430

4½-5 yrs Classes: 8

RP1727.104 Veterans ES Nov 12 10am-1pm M,W \$160

RP1727.105 Veterans ES Nov 13 10am-1pm Tu,Th \$160

4½-5 yrs Classes: 16

RP1727.106 Veterans ES Nov 12 10am-1pm M-Th \$289

Curious Minds S.T.E.A.M Class

Develop your budding engineer, scientist, or mathematician through exciting hands-on STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art and math) activities and challenges. Enjoy using critical thinking and creative skills to complete fun projects! Appreciate how the world works and build a foundation for future learning. (No class 10/19, 11/23.) Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

3-5 yrs Classes: 10

RP3203.101 Veterans ES Sep 21 10am-noon F \$165

Marshmallow Math

Math is more fun when experimenting and playing. Explore math concepts through sorting, patterning, counting, graphing and measuring. Snack becomes an adventure when sorting Teddy Grahams or eating the number eight! Graph with marshmallows and explore terrific tangrams and shapes! Songs, art projects and manipulatives are all incorporated to help this preschool experience be meaningful and stimulating. (No class 10/19, 11/23.) Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

3-5 yrs Classes: 10

RP3206.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 21 10am-noon F \$165

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Rails and Tales: Preschool Story time Page 29

One Day Specials

- Parent or caregiver must attend.

Mommy & Me Fun Days

Enjoy a morning with theme-related stories, music, movement, and special make-and-take craft. Sign up for one class or make a date for all six adventures. Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

2-3 yrs Ilchester ES

RP3212.101 Toy Story Oct 5 10-11am F \$19

RP3212.102 Cars Oct 12 10-11am F \$19

RP3212.103 Mickey Mouse Clubhouse Oct 26 10-11am F \$19

RP3212.104 Peppa Pig Nov 2 10-11am F \$19

RP3212.105 Paw Patrol Nov 9 10-11am F \$19

RP3212.106 Elmo & Friends Nov 30 10-11am F \$19



Cooking/Art

Abrakadoodle Yummy Art (Parent/Child)

Get your spoon, paintbrush and chocolate syrup ready - we're going to create art! From cupcake design to mosaics with food to chocolate syrup painting. It's all about the wonderful and wacky world of food art! We'll build spaghetti sculptures, learn about food artists such as Vic Muniz and play "foodie" games. We even make our own incredible edibles. No peanuts, peanut oils, or tree-nut product are used. (No class 11/7, 11/21.) Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

2-3 yrs Classes: 6

RP3209.101 Dayton Oaks ES Oct 10 9:45-10:45am W \$105

Crafts & Fine Arts

Abrakadoodle Art Twoosy Doodlers (Parent/Child)

Parents and kids, experiment with art materials while developing fine motor skills, hand-eye coordination, creativity, readiness skills, confidence, ability to play with others and imaginative thinking. Non-toxic materials used. Sculpt, stamp, cut, glue, draw, color, listen to stories and sing songs! Frames and protective aprons provided. Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

20-36 mos Classes: 6

RP0133.101 Ellicott City Colored School Oct 4 5:30-6:15pm Th \$89

RP0133.102 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Oct 6 9:30-10:15am Sa \$89

Abrakadoodle Art Mini Doodlers

Get creative! Learn and emulate drawings of artists with new themes and topics! Paint, learn wet-on-wet techniques, create large-scale artwork and explore a variety of materials to create original art. Lessons are designed to ignite the imagination, foster creativity and develop new skills. Frames and protective aprons provided. Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

3½-5 yrs Classes: 6

RP0134.101 Ellicott City Colored School Oct 4 6:30-7:15pm Th \$89

RP0134.102 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Oct 6 10:30-11:15am Sa \$89

Dance

• More dance classes for 4 yrs + on page 41.

• Info: 410-313-7275

Dance with Me! (Parent/Child)

Have fun using songs and games to learn dance and movement concepts in this introduction to dance and creative movement. Fee includes participation of one parent or caregiver and one child.

20 mos-3½ yrs Classes: 8

RP1003.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 17 10:30-11:15am M \$56

Mommy & Me Movement (Parent/Child)

This exciting movement class allows you and your child to move together through dancing, singing, role-playing and more. Watch your little one gain confidence and an appreciation for music and rhythms. Wear comfortable clothing, bare feet or socks.

2-3 yrs Classes: 8

RP1005.101 Misako Ballet Studio Sep 25 10-10:45am Tu \$85

RP1005.111 Misako Beats Sep 27 10-10:45am Th \$85

RP1005.112 Misako Beats Sep 28 11:15am-noon F \$85

Parent/Child Movement & Song by Kinetics

Encourage your child's imagination as they explore creative dance using stories, props and movement. Bare feet preferred. Fee includes participation of one child and one parent/caregiver.

2-3 yrs Classes: 9

RP1007.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 22 10:15-11am Sa \$85

RP1007.102 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 22 9:45-10:30am Sa \$85

2-3 yrs Classes: 11

RP1007.103 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 18 9:45-10:30am Tu \$105

Ballerina Basics by Kinetics Dance Theatre

Do you dream of being a ballerina? Ballerina Basics introduces pre-ballet movements, grace and self-control in a creative and nurturing environment. This is a beginner-level class. No experience necessary. Leotard and ballet shoes recommended. (No class 11/23.)

3-6 yrs Classes: 10

RP1011.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 16 Noon-1pm Su \$115

RP1011.102 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 16 1-2pm Su \$115

RP1011.103 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 16 2-3pm Su \$115

RP1011.104 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 21 10-11am F \$115

3-6 yrs Classes: 11

RP1011.105 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 19 9:15-10am W \$105

3-6 yrs Classes: 9

RP1011.106 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 22 12:15-1pm Sa \$85

Ballet & Tap by Dance Connections, Inc.

This fun class combines ballet and tap. For the first half of the classes, enjoy an introduction to ballet steps, dance fundamentals and concepts in the center and across the floor in a fun and creative environment. Halfway through, change into tap shoes and explore the basics of tap and rhythms. Wear dance attire for ease of movement such as leotard or dance dress and tights. Leather ballet and tap shoes required. (No class 11/22, 11/24.)

3-5 yrs Classes: 12

RP1025.101 Dance Connections, Inc. Sep 13 2-2:45pm Th \$145

RP1025.102 Dance Connections, Inc. Sep 15 1:30-2:15pm Sa \$145

RP1025.103 Dance Connections, Inc. Sep 15 2:15-3pm Sa \$145

Ballet with the Princesses with Sandra Duerr

All your beloved ballet stories come to life as we use creative movement and beginning ballet to interpret the songs and stories of favorite princesses.

Ariel, Aurora, Merida, Anna, Elsa and more!

3-5 yrs Classes: 8

RP1022.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 17 11:30am-noon M \$55

Creative Dance by Kinetics Dance Theatre

This intro to dance incorporates imagination, creative expression and a lot of fun! Dancers practice loco-motor skills, rhythm, patterns, and spatial awareness. What a wonderful way to learn to dance! All children under the age of 8 must have a parent/guardian on the premises while in class. Leotard and bare feet recommended. (No class 11/22.)

3-6 yrs Classes: 9

RP1010.102 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 22 9:30-10:15am Sa \$85

RP1010.103 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 22 11:45am-12:30pm Sa \$85

RP1010.104 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 22 1-1:45pm Sa \$85

3-6 yrs Classes: 10

RP1010.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 20 9:15-10am Th \$95

Creative Dance for Boys

Boys, this creative dance class is designed to introduce you to movement and dance in a fun and structured environment. Class incorporates many of the components of dance, including space, rhythm, body awareness, and more! All children under the age of 8 must have a parent/guardian on the premises while their child is in class.

3-6 yrs Classes: 9

RP1012.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 22 9-9:45am Sa \$85

Creative Movement by Cindee Velle Ballet

This intro to dance incorporates the exploration of space, rhythm, body-awareness, time, shape and dynamics. Use of imagination is encouraged! A pink leotard, pink tights and pink (leather or canvas) ballet shoes required for girls; a white t-shirt, black shorts or sweat pants and black ballet (leather or canvas) shoes required for boys. Showcase at the end of the session for family and friends (additional costume fee applies). (No class 10/19, 11/23.)

3-5 yrs Classes: 12

RP1019.101 Veterans ES Sep 14 4:10-4:55pm F \$90

Fairy Dance & Storytelling by Kinetics

This special intro to dance lets your child's imagination take flight! In each class, the fairy theme is expressed through movement and storytelling and incorporated into the dance components (including space, rhythm and body awareness). Dancers share and explore ideas while learning in a safe and creative environment. Please wear leotard, dancing is done in bare feet.

3-6 yrs Classes: 11

RP1006.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 18 9-9:45am Tu \$105

LEAP! The Ballet Class

Does your ballerina love the movie *LEAP*? Then this is the class for her. We use the music and movie story line to teach beginning ballet in a creative and fun way. Dancers learn the fundamental of ballet while working on fine and gross motor movements as well as locomotor movements across the floor. Leap and turn like Felicie, use your imagination like Victor to create your own movement pathways, and learn French ballet works like they use in the Opera Ballet School. Dancers should wear a leotard or dance dress, tights, and pink leather ballet shoes.

3-5 yrs Classes: 12

RP1014.101 Dance Connections, Inc. Sep 10 10-10:45am M \$145

Princess Ballet by Dance Connections, Inc.

Twirl your way to becoming a dancing princess. Learn the foundations and fundamentals of ballet while working on fine and gross loco-motor movements. The focus is on fun as we use creative dance to learn about ballet steps. Tip-toe around the Beast's castle like Belle, waltz like Sleeping Beauty, spin and twirl like Anna and Elsa. Dancers, wear leotard, tights and (leather or canvas) ballet shoes. (No class 11/19.)

3-5 yrs Classes: 12

RP1046.101 Dance Connections, Inc. Sep 10 10:45-11:30am M \$145

Tap with the Princesses with Sandra Duerr

Music from your favorite princesses such as Ariel, Aurora, Merida, Anna, and Elsa will inspire you as you learn beginning tap steps and combinations.

3-5 yrs Classes: 8

RP1088.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 17 12:05-12:35pm M \$55

Tinker Bell's Ballet by Dance Connections, Inc.

Be free and fancy! Learn about your favorite fairies while learning ballet in a creative way. Foundations and fundamentals of ballet are covered while using fine and gross loco-motor movements. Fly like Tinker Bell, arabesque with our frozen wings like Periwinkle, and leap like Zarina! Dancers should wear leotard, tights and (leather or canvas) ballet shoes. (No class 11/22.)

3-5 yrs Classes: 12

RP1017.101 Dance Connections, Inc. Sep 13 1:15-2pm Th \$145

Dance, *Baila!* by Misako Ballet Studio

Learn some Spanish through dance! Taught by a native Spanish speaker, learn a variety of basic dance steps, stretches, and movement patterns while practicing new words and concepts in Spanish such as greetings, animals and body parts. Dancers, wear comfortable clothing for ease of movement and bare feet. Bring a reusable water bottle. Teacher: Cecilia Ituarte.

3½-5 yrs Classes: 8

RP1016.101 Misako Ballet Studio Sep 25 10:45-11:30am Tu \$85

Dance Basics for Boys *Page 41*

More classes for 4 years + *Page 41*

Fitness

Funfit® Tots (Parent/Child)

This fun-filled, high-energy class includes songs, stories, parachutes, games, balls, music and more! The perfect combination for your child who loves to move and loves music too! Looking to squeeze in an extra 45 minutes of fun exercise while playing with your child? This is the class for you! Child must be walking. (No class 11/6, 11/20.) Info: Cindy Ochs, 410-313-4681 or cochs@howardcountymd.gov.

11-24 mos Classes: 6

RP3210.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 18 9:30-10:15am Tu \$75

RP3210.111 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Oct 30 9:30-10:15am Tu \$75

1½-4 yrs Classes: 6

RP3210.102 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 18 10:15-11am Tu \$75

RP3210.112 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Oct 30 10:15-11am Tu \$75

To register, visit
www.howardcountymd.gov/rap
or call 410-313-7275.



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Music & Theater Arts

Music Together with Olenka School of Music
Discover the joy of making Music Together® with your family and friends. Your child grows into a confident music-maker while tapping into all the developmental benefits of music education. You'll have so much fun singing, dancing, shaking and drumming, you won't even realize how much learning is taking place! Babies under 8 months old may attend free with a paid sibling! (No class 11/20-11/23.) Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

RP0121.101 Infant-5 yrs \$95 + \$42 materials fee Classes: 5

OSM Columbia	Sep 17	10:30-11:15am	M
OSM Columbia	Sep 11	10:30-11:15am	Tu
OSM Columbia	Sep 12	11:30-12:15pm	W
OSM Columbia	Sep 13	10:30-11:15am	Th
OSM Columbia	Sep 13	5:30-6:15pm	Th
OSM Columbia	Sep 14	9:30-10:15am	F
OSM Columbia	Sep 15	10:15-11am	Sa
OSM Columbia	Sep 16	11:15-noon	Su
OSM Ellicott City	Sep 11	10-10:45am	Tu
OSM Ellicott City	Sep 15	9:30-10:15am	Sa
OSM Ellicott City	Sep 16	10:15-11:15pm	Su

RP0121.102 Infant-5yrs \$95 + \$42 materials fee Classes: 5

OSM Columbia	Nov 12	10:30-11:15am	M
OSM Columbia	Nov 6	10:30-11:15am	Tu
OSM Columbia	Nov 7	11:30-12:15am	W
OSM Columbia	Nov 8	10:30-11:15am	Th
OSM Columbia	Nov 8	5:30-6:15pm	Th
OSM Columbia	Nov 9	9:30-10:15am	F
OSM Columbia	Nov 10	10:15-11am	Sa
OSM Columbia	Nov 11	11:15-noon	Su
OSM Ellicott City	Nov 6	10-10:45am	Tu
OSM Ellicott City	Nov 10	9:30-10:15am	Sa
OSM Ellicott City	Nov 11	10:15-11:15am	Su

Broadway Babies Drama:

The Tale of Pinnocchio by DLC

While using their imaginations students learn singing, dancing, and acting skills as they work as part of a theatrical team. Class session culminates in a final performance for family and friends featuring props created by the students during craft time. Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

3-5 yrs Classes: 6

RP0103.101	Drama Learning Ctr	Sep 22	9-10am	Sa	\$95
RP0103.102	Drama Learning Ctr	Oct 2	10-11am	Tu	\$95

Music ABCs & Keyboarding at

Olenka School of Music (OSM)

Bond with your little one while learning the ABCs of Music! Students dance, sing, play keyboards and rhythm instruments, train their young ears and play stimulating music games designed to teach the fundamentals of the Universal Language of Music. Adult participation required. No previous experience necessary. (No class 11/20-11/23.) Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

RP0128.101 3-5 yrs \$115 + \$42 materials Classes: 5

OSM Columbia	Sep 12 or Nov 7	11:30-12:15am	W
OSM Columbia	Sep 13 or Nov 8	5:30-6:15pm	Th
OSM Columbia	Sep 15 or Nov 10	11:30-12:15am	Sa
OSM Ellicott City	Sep 14 or Nov 9	1:15-2pm	F
OSM Ellicott City	Sep 16 or Nov 11	9:30-10:15am	Su

Youth (5-10 yrs) Classes & Activities

• Programs listed by category, then age, then alphabetical.

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Chess

Chess Club Before & After School with Silver Knights Chess

Learn how to play chess from highly rated professional chess instructors, who have coached many state and national champions! Time is evenly split between lesson and play. Lessons range from learning the rules to advanced tournament strategies. Open to all levels. Play time is structured to pair against opponent of similar skill. All chess supplies provided. (No class on half days or when school is not in session.) Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

Before School Grades K-5 Classes: 12

RP3323.101	Atholton ES	Oct 3	8:10-9:10am	W	\$205
RP3323.102	Bellows Spring ES	Oct 2	8:10-9:10am	Tu	\$205
RP3323.103	Ilchester ES	Oct 1	8:10-9:10am	M	\$205
RP3323.104	Pointers Run ES	Oct 5	8:10-9:10am	F	\$205

After School Grades K-5 Classes: 12

RP3322.101	Centennial Lane ES	Oct 10	3:15-4:15pm	W	\$205
RP3322.102	Dayton Oaks ES	Oct 1	3:35-4:35pm	M	\$205
RP3322.103	Fulton ES	Oct 4	4-5pm	Th	\$205
RP3322.104	Gorman Crossing ES	Oct 10	4-5pm	W	\$205
RP3322.105	Hammond ES	Oct 4	3:35-4:35pm	Th	\$205
RP3322.106	Manor Woods ES	Oct 4	3:20-4:20pm	Th	\$205
RP3322.107	Northfield ES	Oct 5	3:30-4:30pm	F	\$205
RP3322.108	Rockburn ES	Oct 1	3:25-4:25pm	M	\$205
RP3322.109	St. John's Lane ES	Oct 2	3:20-4:20pm	Tu	\$205

Chess Wizards Before & After School

Want to learn chess in a fun, engaging and interactive way? Curriculum is designed by teachers and comedians to impart many benefits – critical thinking, sportsmanship and learning from our mistakes in a challenging and exciting way. In addition to lessons and traditional gameplay, variations of chess games are incorporated to build teamwork and improve logic, planning, discipline, judgment and self-control. All skill levels welcome and are grouped accordingly for lessons and game-play. (No class on half days or when school is not in session.) Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

After School Grades K-5 Classes: 8

RP3372.101	Lisbon ES	Oct 4	3:15-4:15pm	Th	\$149
RP3372.102	Longfellow ES	Oct 2	3:30-4:30pm	Tu	\$149
RP3372.103	Triadelphia Ridge ES	Oct 3	3:15-4:15pm	W	\$149

Before School Grades K-5 Classes: 8

RP3373.101	Thunder Hill ES	Oct 2	8:10-9:10am	Tu	\$139
RP3373.102	Elkridge ES	Oct 5	8:10-9:10am	F	\$139
RP3373.103	Veterans ES	Oct 3	8:10-9:10am	W	\$139

Cooking

Cooking with Chef Nikki After School

This mobile cooking program is offered through Chef Nikki Marks (owner of the food truck Mindgrub Cafe and Share Kitchen, Baltimore's food incubator). Classes are taught by Marks and her staff of culinary experts. Enjoy cultural explorations through the preparation of a range of cuisine. Emphasis is on etiquette, nutrition, kitchen safety and the science behind cooking! (No class 10/3, 10/19, 11/06, 11/20-11/23.) **\$40 materials fee due at first class, payable to Nikki Marks.** Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades K-5 Cooking with Chef Nikki After School - French! Classes: 4

French Cooking! Learn about french culture and enjoy browning crème brûlée, making vichyssoise, and more French delicacies.

RP3302.103 Fulton ES Sep 27 4:10-5:40pm Th \$80

RP3302.106 Northfield ES Sep 26 3:30-5pm W \$80

Grades K-5 Cooking with Chef Nikki After School - Spanish! Classes: 4

Spanish Cooking! Explore Spain making *empanadas* and a variety of tapas.

RP3302.113 Fulton ES Nov 1 4:10-5:40pm Th \$80

RP3302.114 Hammond ES Nov 2 3:30-5pm F \$80

Crafts & Fine Arts

Abakadoodle Art After School

Abakadoodle art classes are all about creativity! Use your imagination while using a wide variety of materials, such as wire, clay, and more. Explore artists, techniques, and world cultures, and more while having fun! Material fee included in registration.

Session 1 - Art Blast STEAM! Calling all boys and girls who have a creative, curious mind and like to explore! Learn how science is an inspiration for many artists. Boost your imagination while you play and paint, explore robotic sculptures and technology. Develop your engineering skills and design your dream house! Create artistic math puzzles and much more while you ignite your creativity. (No class 10/3, 11/7.)

5-12 yrs Classes: 6

RP0136.119 Laurel Woods ES Sep 26 3:40-4:40pm W \$99

5-12 yrs Classes: 6

RP0136.116 Pointers Run ES Sep 27 4:05-5:05pm Th \$99

RP0136.117 Atholton ES Sep 27 3:55-4:55pm Th \$99

RP0136.118 Forest Ridge ES Sep 24 3:55-4:55pm M \$99

RP0136.120 Lisbon ES Sep 24 3:20-4:20pm M \$99

RP0136.121 West Friendship ES Sep 25 3:55-4:55pm Tu \$99

RP0136.122 Ilchester ES Sep 25 4:05-5:05pm Tu \$99

5-12 yrs Classes: 4

RP0136.101 Cradlerock ES Sep 24 2:55-3:55pm M \$59

RP0136.102 Running Brook ES Sep 25 4:05-5:05pm Tu \$59

RP0136.104 Swansfield ES Sep 27 3:25-4:25pm Th \$59

RP0136.105 Phelps Luck ES Sep 28 3:35-4:35pm F \$59

Session 2 - Imagination Creation: Explore new mediums such as video game art, rice painting, newspaper watercolor, and a sculpture made with straws! Without leaving the country, our imagination takes us to Austria, Germany, Switzerland, France, and India. Visit a lollipop garden; play on a watercolor piano; celebrate the Festival Of Lights and more. You can even interface with famous artists such as Fernand Leger and Alberto Giacometti! (No class 11/6, 11/20, 11/23.)

5-12 yrs Classes: 4

RP0136.111 Cradlerock ES Oct 22 2:55-3:55pm M \$59

RP0136.112 Running Brook ES Oct 23 4:05-5:05pm Tu \$59

RP0136.114 Swansfield ES Oct 25 3:25-4:25pm Th \$59

RP0136.115 Phelps Luck ES Nov 2 3:35-4:35pm F \$59

RP0136.103 Laurel Woods ES Dec 5 3:40-4:40pm W \$59

KidzArt After School flickr

Enjoy a fun, unique, confidence-building art experience. This drawing-based curriculum delivers engaging and educationally rich, creative experiences that amaze and delight. Create a masterpiece each week. Explore artist-grade mediums (Prismacolor ArtStix, oil pastels, chalk pastels, charcoal, watercolor, clay, copper, textured papers and more)! Bring a nut-free snack to be eaten while supervised between school dismissal and class. **Materials included in registration fee.** (No class on half days or when school is not in session.) Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades K-5 Session 1 Classes: 7

RP0113.101 Centennial Lane ES Sep 27 3:35-4:35pm Th \$126

RP0113.116 Triadelphia Ridge ES Sep 27 3:30-4:30pm Th \$126

Grades K-5 Session 1 Classes: 8

RP0113.108 Ilchester ES Sep 26 4:10-5:10pm W \$144

RP0113.111 Northfield ES Sep 26 3:30-4:30pm W \$144

RP0113.112 Pointers Run ES Sep 26 4:10-5:10pm W \$144

Grades K-5 Session 1 Classes: 6

RP0113.100 Bellows Spring ES Sep 28 4:10-5:10pm F \$108

RP0113.102 Clarksville ES Sep 28 4:10-5:10pm F \$108

RP0113.103 Deep Run ES Sep 24 4:10-5:10pm M \$108

RP0113.104 Elkridge ES Sep 24 4:10-5:10pm M \$108

RP0113.105 Fulton ES Sep 25 4:10-5:10pm Tu \$108

RP0113.106 Gorman Crossing ES Sep 25 4:10-5:10pm Tu \$108

RP0113.107 Hammond ES Sep 25 3:45-4:45pm Tu \$108

RP0113.109 Longfellow ES Sep 28 3:40-4:40pm F \$108

RP0113.110 Manor Woods ES Sep 24 3:35-4:35pm M \$108

RP0113.113 Rockburn ES Sep 28 3:35-4:35pm F \$108

RP0113.114 St. John's Lane ES Sep 24 3:30-4:30pm M \$108

RP0113.115 Thunder Hill ES Sep 24 4:10-5:10pm M \$108

RP0113.117 Veterans ES Sep 25 4:10-5:10pm Tu \$108

Grades K-5 Session 2 Classes: 5

RP0113.123 Deep Run ES Nov 5 4:10-5:10pm M \$90

RP0113.124 Elkridge ES Nov 5 4:10-5:10pm M \$90

RP0113.130 Manor Woods ES Nov 5 3:35-4:35pm M \$90

RP0113.134 St. John's Lane ES Nov 5 3:30-4:30pm M \$90

RP0113.135 Thunder Hill ES Nov 5 4:10-5:10pm M \$90

Grades K-5 Session 2 Classes: 6

RP0113.120 Bellows Spring ES Nov 16 4:10-5:10pm F \$108

RP0113.122 Clarksville ES Nov 16 4:10-5:10pm F \$108

RP0113.129 Longfellow ES Nov 16 3:40-4:40pm F \$108

RP0113.133 Rockburn ES Nov 16 3:35-4:35pm F \$108

Grades K-5 Session 2 Classes: 9

RP0113.121 Centennial Lane ES Nov 15 3:35-4:35pm Th \$162

RP0113.125 Fulton ES Nov 13 4:10-5:10pm Tu \$162

RP0113.126 Gorman Crossing ES Nov 13 4:10-5:10pm Tu \$162

RP0113.127 Hammond ES Nov 13 3:45-4:45pm Tu \$162

RP0113.128 Ilchester ES Dec 12 4:10-5:10pm W \$162

RP0113.131 Northfield ES Dec 12 3:30-4:30pm W \$162

RP0113.132 Pointers Run ES Dec 12 4:10-5:10pm W \$162

RP0113.136 Triadelphia Ridge ES Nov 15 3:30-4:30pm Th \$162

RP0113.137 Veterans ES Nov 13 4:10-5:10pm Tu \$162

Grades K-5 Session 3 Classes: 6

RP0113.201 Bellow Springs ES Jan 1 3:35-4:35pm F \$108

RP0113.202 Clarksville ES Jan 11 4:10-5:10pm F \$108

RP0113.203 Deep Run ES Dec 17 4:10-5:10pm M \$108

RP0113.204 Elkridge ES Dec 17 4:10-5:10pm M \$108

RP0113.205 Longfellow ES Jan 1 3:40-4:40pm F \$108

RP0113.206 Manor Woods ES Dec 17 3:35-4:35pm M \$108

RP0113.207 Rockburn ES Jan 11 4:10-5:10pm F \$108

RP0113.208 St. Johns Lane ES Dec 17 3:30-4:30pm M \$108

RP0113.209 Thunder Hill ES Dec 17 4:10-5:10pm M \$108

School's Out Workshop with KidzArt!

School is out, but the fun continues with KidzArt Workshops! Come engage your imagination in a whole new way! Our format allows you to learn fine art techniques while encouraging creative thinking in a relaxed environment. KidzArtists explore a variety of artist grade materials through exciting drawings and 3D projects from popular summer camps. Breaks for snack, lunch and active play included too! **Materials included in registration fee.** Please bring an apron, smock or wear old clothes. Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or email scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades K-5 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Classes: 1

RP0113.191	Creative Creatures	Sep 19	8:30am-5:30pm	W	\$105
RP0113.192	Under the Sea	Oct 19	8:30am-5:30pm	F	\$105
RP0113.193	Around The World	Nov 6	8:30am-5:30pm	Tu	\$105
RP0113.194	Artageous Academy	Nov 7	8:30am-5:30pm	W	\$105

Dance

Dance Basics for Boys by Kinetics Dance Theatre

Enjoy an approachable introduction to basic dance and tap skills designed for boys. Learn basic ballet steps, build loco motor skills and learn to develop rhythmic patterns using imagery and themes such as animals, superheroes, outer space and more! All children must have a parent/guardian on the premises while their child is in class.

4-6 yrs Classes: 11

RP1013.101	Kinetics Dance Theatre	Sep 17	4:30-5:15pm	M	\$105
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Beginning Princess Ballet: Rhythm & Steps

Dance with scarves to the music of your favorite princesses. This class combines basic ballet steps with the imagination of creative movement and helps young dancers establish basic skills in locomotion, imagination and music appreciation. Leotard, tights and leather ballet shoes (no satin slippers) required. Bring a reusable water bottle.

5-7 yrs Classes: 8

RP1001.101	Misako Ballet Studio	Sep 25	5:15-6pm	Tu	\$85
RP1001.111	Misako Ballet Studio	Sep 28	5:15-6pm	F	\$85

All That Jazz & Tap by Kinetics Dance Theatre

Discover tempo, balance, strength, and style through beginning tap and jazz dance technique. Groove to the music while learning about rhythm in this beginner-level class that balances fun with learning. This is a co-ed class. No experience is required. Wear comfortable clothing; tap and jazz shoes required.

6-8 yrs Classes: 10

RP1026.101	Kinetics Dance Theatre	Sep 16	1-2pm	Su	\$95
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Ballet/Jazz After School by Cindee Velle Ballet

This 90-minute dance class introduces basic barre exercises: leg, feet and arm positions and first forms of classic center work. The jazz portion includes contemporary movement from a range of American dance styles such as Broadway, lyrical and funk. Girls, wear black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes (leather or canvas) and black jazz shoes. Boys, wear white t-shirt, black shorts or sweat pants, black ballet shoes (leather or canvas) and black jazz shoes. (No class 9/19, 10/3, 10/31, 11/7, 11/21.)

6-12 yrs Classes: 10

RP1018.101	Veterans ES	Sep 12	4:10-5:40pm	W	\$115
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Learn basic barre work during a ballet class.

Back Beats with Nysia Carter

This fast-paced, high-energy, hip-hop class emphasizes body isolation movements, intricate rhythms and individual expression. Come learn basic hip-hop, popping and break dancing techniques to develop your own unique style. Wear comfortable clothes. Sneakers required. (No class 11/24.)

7-12 yrs Classes: 12

RP1020.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 22	3:30-4:30pm	Sa	\$139
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Language

Spanish After School

Learn a new language, explore a new culture and traditions where Spanish is spoken. Learning is enhanced by playing games, singing songs, reading poems, creating crafts and other hands-on activities. Classes are taught by native speakers who are not only experienced teachers, but also engaging, fun and motivating. No class on half days or when school is not in session. Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades K-5 Classes: 10

RP3301.101	Ilchester ES	Oct 4	4-5pm	Th	\$175
RP3301.104	Gorman Crossing ES	Oct 1	4-5pm	M	\$175

Grades K-5 Classes: 8

RP3301.103	Hammond ES	Oct 10	3:40-4:40pm	W	\$139
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Grades K-5 Classes: 9

RP3301.102	Rockburn ES	Oct 2	3:25-4:25pm	Tu	\$159
RP3301.105	Lisbon ES	Oct 5	3:15-4:15pm	F	\$159



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or call 410-313-7275.



Viva Violin teaches your budding musician in an age-appropriate, supportive atmosphere.

Music & Theater Arts

Music

Learn Now Music After School

Learn Now Music's mission is "to create a positive, musical experience for all of our students!" Budding musicians, participate in musical instruction and theory. Enjoy musical games, special extension curriculum based activities, musical listening excerpts, and more! You are able to borrow a rental instrument and materials throughout each session at no cost. A rental agreement must be signed at the first class. Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades K-5 Drums! Classes: 6

RP3361.131	Clarksville ES	Oct 30	4-5pm	Tu	\$135
RP3361.132	Ducketts Lane ES	Oct 31	3:20-4:20pm	W	\$135
RP3361.133	Bellows Spring ES	Oct 31	4-5pm	W	\$135
RP3361.134	Northfield ES	Nov 2	3:20-4:20pm	F	\$135
RP3361.135	Ilchester ES	Nov 1	4-5pm	Th	\$135
RP3361.136	Hammond ES	Oct 29	3:35-4:35pm	M	\$135
RP3361.137	Clemens Crossing ES	Oct 29	3:50-4:50pm	M	\$135
RP3361.138	Dayton Oaks ES	Nov 1	3:30-4:30pm	Th	\$135
RP3361.139	Forest Ridge ES	Oct 30	3:55-4:55pm	Tu	\$135
RP3361.140	Gorman Crossing ES	Oct 31	4-5pm	W	\$135

Grades K-5 Groovy Guitar Classes: 6

RP3361.111	Thunder Hill ES	Oct 31	4-5pm	W	\$135
RP3361.112	St. John's Lane ES	Nov 2	3:15-4:15pm	F	\$135
RP3361.113	Pointers Run ES	Nov 1	4-5pm	Th	\$135
RP3361.114	Rockburn ES	Oct 29	3:30-4:30pm	M	\$135
RP3361.115	Jeffers Hill ES	Oct 30	3:35-4:35pm	Tu	\$135
RP3361.116	Atholton ES	Oct 30	3:50-4:50pm	Tu	\$135
RP3361.117	Hollifield Station ES	Nov 2	3:20-4:20pm	F	\$135
RP3361.118	Bushy Pk ES	Nov 1	3:55-4:55pm	Th	\$135
RP3361.119	Elkridge ES	Oct 31	4-5pm	W	\$135
RP3361.120	Veterans ES	Oct 29	4-5pm	M	\$135
RP3361.142	Centennial Lane ES	Nov 2	6-7pm	F	\$135
RP3361.144	Lisbon ES	Nov 1	6-7pm	Th	\$135

Grades K-5 Poppin' Piano Classes: 6

RP3361.101	Thunder Hill ES	Oct 31	4-5pm	W	\$135
RP3361.102	St. John's Lane ES	Nov 2	3:15-4:15pm	F	\$135
RP3361.103	Pointers Run ES	Nov 1	4-5pm	Th	\$135
RP3361.104	Rockburn ES	Oct 29	3:30-4:30pm	M	\$135

RP3361.105	Jeffers Hill ES	Oct 30	3:35-4:35pm	Tu	\$135
RP3361.106	Atholton ES	Oct 30	3:50-4:50pm	Tu	\$135
RP3361.107	Hollifield Station ES	Nov 2	3:20-4:20pm	F	\$135
RP3361.108	Bushy Pk ES	Nov 1	3:55-4:55pm	Th	\$135
RP3361.109	Elkridge ES	Oct 31	4-5pm	W	\$135
RP3361.110	Veterans ES	Oct 29	4-5pm	M	\$135
RP3361.141	Centennial Lane ES	Nov 2	6-7pm	F	\$135
RP3361.143	Lisbon ES	Nov 1	6-7pm	Th	\$135

Grades K-5 Viva Violin Classes: 6

RP3361.121	Clarksville ES	Oct 30	4-5pm	Tu	\$135
RP3361.122	Ducketts Lane ES	Oct 31	3:20-4:20pm	W	\$135
RP3361.123	Bellows Spring ES	Oct 31	4-5pm	W	\$135
RP3361.124	Northfield ES	Nov 2	3:20-4:20pm	F	\$135
RP3361.125	Ilchester ES	Nov 1	4-5pm	Th	\$135
RP3361.126	Hammond ES	Oct 29	3:35-4:35pm	M	\$135
RP3361.127	Clemens Crossing ES	Oct 29	3:50-4:50pm	M	\$135
RP3361.128	Dayton Oaks ES	Nov 1	3:30-4:30pm	Th	\$135
RP3361.129	Forest Ridge ES	Oct 30	3:55-4:55pm	Tu	\$135
RP3361.130	Gorman Crossing ES	Oct 31	4-5pm	W	\$135

Rock School

Beginners and up, learn from professional rock musicians while enhancing memory, self-expression, creativity and self-confidence. Focus on instrument play, music theory and technique. Bring your guitar/bass. Drums are available for use during class. Vocal classes include warm-up/warm-down exercises, proper breathing techniques and singing lessons to help you learn how to properly use your voice when singing. Runs concurrently with Teen class. Schedule subject to change, visit www.therockshopmd.com. Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

6-11 yrs Classes: 5

RP1037.101	Drums	Sep 28	6:30-7:30pm	F	\$139
RP1037.102	Keyboard/Vocals	Sep 28	6:30-7:30pm	F	\$139
RP1037.103	Bass/Guitar	Sep 28	6:30-7:30pm	F	\$139

Intro to Piano

Learn to play the piano in this introductory class. Play a variety of musical styles to gain confidence and develop musical skills. Learn and practice on your own keyboard. Must have access to a keyboard to practice on outside class. Fee includes music book. Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

8-11 yrs Classes: 9

RP0182.101	River Hill HS	Sep 22	Noon-1pm	Sa	\$115
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Theater

Complete schedules: www.howardcountymd.gov/drama

Beginning Acting:

Disney's *My Son Pinocchio* by DLC

"When you wish upon a star, your dreams come true!" The classic story of the toy maker Geppetto and his little wooden puppet is given new life in a new musical. Learn singing, dancing, and acting skills as they work as part of a theatrical team. **\$25 materials fee due at first class.** Program meets weekly for 6 classes, 2 evening dress rehearsals, and 2 evening performances. Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades K-2 Classes: 10

RP1038.101	Drama Learning Ctr	Sep 21	5-7pm	F	\$220
RP1038.102	Drama Learning Ctr	Sep 29	9:30-11:30am	Sa	\$220



Musical Theatre Disney's *Lion King Kids* by DLC
Hakuna Matata! What a wonderful phrase! Work as part of a theatrical team to present this one-act musical. Program meets weekly for 8 classes after school, 2 evening dress rehearsals, and an evening performance. Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades K-2 Classes: 11

RP1039.101 Fulton ES Sep 26 4-6pm W \$210

Grades 1-5 Classes: 11

RP1039.102 Stevens Forest ES Sep 20 3:40-5:40pm Th \$210

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Disney's *The Little Mermaid* by CCTA

Join your friends as we go under the sea! *The Little Mermaid* has captivated the imagination of audiences around the world! Students, learn the fundamentals of musical theater including choreography, character development and stage direction. The program culminates with a full stages production complete with theatrical sets, lighting, costumes and sound! At the final class, a 7pm performance ends the season. Bring a nut-free snack to be eaten between school dismissal and class. (No class 11/6, 11/19, 11/20, 11/22.) Info: info@ccstarts.org or Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

6-11 yrs Classes: 11

RP1041.101 Northfield ES Sep 20 3:30-4:45pm Th \$205

RP1041.102 Pointers Run ES Sep 18 4:10-5:25pm Tu \$205

RP1041.103 Veterans ES Sep 24 4:10-5:25pm M \$205

Home School Musical Theatre:

Disney's *Newsies* by DLC

Open the door and seize the day! When titans of publishing raise distribution prices, charismatic Jack Kelly and a band of teenage "newsies" rally across the city to strike against unfair conditions and fight for what's right! Learn and improve singing, dancing and acting skills as they work as part of a theatrical team. **\$50 materials fee due at first class, payable to Drama Learning Center.** Program meets for 9 classes, 5 dress rehearsals, and 2 evening performances. Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 1-5 Classes: 16

RP0114.101 Drama Learning Ctr Sep 27 1-3:30pm Th \$255

Musical Theatre: Disney's *Sleeping Beauty* by DLC

The sleeping princess, her fairy friends, and a brave prince face off against the evil Maleficent in this adaptation of the classic film. Work as part of a theatrical team to present this one act musical. Program meets weekly for 8 classes, 2 evening dress rehearsals, and an evening performance. Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 1-5 Classes: 11

RP1039.111 Dayton Oaks ES Sep 17 3:40-5:40pm M \$210

RP1039.112 St. John's Lane ES Oct 2 3:20-5:20pm Tu \$210

On Stage:

Disney's *Alice in Wonderland Jr.* by DLC

Go down the rabbit hole with Alice as she adventures in a new world that becomes curiouser and curiouser! Learn singing, dancing, and acting skills. Program meets weekly for 10 classes after school, 3 evening dress rehearsals, and an evening final performance. Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 1-5 Classes: 14

RP1045.111 Centennial Lane ES Sep 21 3:35-5:35pm F \$245

RP1045.112 Triadelphia Ridge ES Sep 27 3:30-5:30pm Th \$245

On Stage: Disney's *Lion King Jr.* by DLC

Journey to Pride Rock with Simba as he takes his rightful place as king! Learn singing, dancing, and acting skills as they work as part of a theatrical team. Program meets weekly for 10 classes after school, 3 evening dress rehearsals, and an evening performance. Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 3-5 Classes: 14

RP1045.101 Fulton ES Sep 26 4-6pm W \$245

Grades 1-5 Classes: 14

RP1045.102 Manor Woods ES Sep 26 3:30-5:30pm W \$245

Production Class: Disney's *Newsies* by Drama Learning Center

Open the door and seize the day! When titans of publishing raise distribution prices, charismatic Jack Kelly and a band of teenage "newsies" rally across the city to strike against unfair conditions and fight for what's right! Learn and improve your singing, dancing and acting skills as you work as part of a theatrical team. **\$50 materials fee due at first class**, payable to Drama Learning Center. Program meets for 9 classes, 1 week of dress rehearsals, and 2 evening performance. Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 3-5 Classes: 16

RP1043.101 Drama Learning Ctr Sep 18 5-7:30pm Tu \$305

RP1043.102 Drama Learning Ctr Sep 26 5-7:30pm W \$305

Personal Development & Enrichment

How To Say It Best

This fun, hands-on class increases your confidence and communication. Play and work through a coloring/activity book while learning manners. Day 1: Learn how to make friends, give and receive compliments, avoid rude behaviors (like interrupting), and have a conversation. Day 2: Practice the magic words (please, thank you, excuse me, and more); proper telephone manners; body language; and theater-behavior. (\$5 off additional sibling by phone only.) Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

4-7 yrs Classes: 2

RP3335.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Oct 15 5-5:50pm M \$40

Kid Empowerment: P.E.T. Power!

Reach your full potential! At this fun, hands-on program, learn to create Positive Empowering Thoughts (P.E.T.s) that chase away Automatic Non-supportive Thoughts (A.N.T.s)! Build resilience, confidence and essential life skills through engaging activities and charming animations. Unleash your P.E.T. Power sooner rather than later! Get your own stuffed pet and earn special P.E.T. tags. New and returning students welcome. **\$25 materials fee per student due at first class.** No class on half days or when school is not in session. Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 2-4 Classes: 6

RP3333.100 Bellows Spring ES Oct 22 4:05-5:35pm M \$115

RP3333.101 Deep Run ES Oct 25 4-5:30pm Th \$115

RP3333.102 Clemens Crossing ES Oct 24 3:50-5:20pm W \$115

RP3333.103 Dayton Oaks ES Oct 22 3:35-5:05pm M \$115

RP3333.104 Elkridge ES Oct 25 4-5:30pm Th \$115

RP3333.105 Gorman Crossing ES Oct 26 4-5:30pm F \$115

RP3333.106 Ilchester ES Oct 23 4-5:30pm Tu \$115

RP3333.107 Manor Woods ES Oct 23 3:20-4:50pm Tu \$115

RP3333.108 Pointers Run ES Oct 26 4-5:30pm F \$115

RP3333.109 Rockburn ES Oct 23 3:20-4:50pm Tu \$115

NEW! Magic (and Life Skills) After School

Learn dozens of magic tricks using the nationally-recognized Discover Magic curriculum. In this Fall 2018 Green Wand course, enjoy advanced principles of being a magician (eye contact, body language, timing, presentation, etc.). At home, use the class keycard to access an online magic vault! Learn the eight traits of a magician that are life-long skills (1. confidence, 2. creativity, 3. respectfulness, 4. enthusiasm, 5. humbleness, 6. authenticity, 7. generosity and 8. preparedness). Receive a graduation surprise! Enjoy professional magician Mike Perrello - he has been specializing in educational programs for over 10 years. (No class 11/7, 11/12-11/15, 11/19, 11/21, 11/22.) Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades K-5 Classes: 8

RP3395.101	Centennial Lane ES	Oct 4	3:15-4:15pm	Th	\$225
RP3395.102	Hanover Hills ES	Oct 5	3:25-4:25pm	F	\$225
RP3395.103	Thunder Hill ES	Oct 2	4-5pm	Tu	\$225

Communicate Like A Leader

Through role-play, activities and handouts, learn how to feel more comfortable when meeting people for the first time. Become confident when greeting people, giving and receiving compliments, and being a good listener. Thank you notes and phone etiquette covered. This confidence-building program helps you feel more at ease at school, play and new surroundings. Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

8-11 yrs Classes: 2

RP3332.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 15	6-6:50pm	M	\$40
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School's Out Programs

Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Bricks4Kidz LEGO® School's Out Workshops

School is out and we're open for play! Topics vary and include the popular LEGO® themes of Amusement Park, Super Heroes, Mining & Crafting, Wizards & Muggles, and the new Junior Robotics! Activities take place indoors.

5-11 yrs Roger Carter Comm Ctr Classes: 1

RP3369.101	Amusement Park	Sep 10	8:30am-5pm	M	\$95
RP3369.111	Amusement Park	Sep 10	8:30am-12:30pm	M	\$49
RP3369.121	Amusement Park	Sep 10	1-5pm	M	\$49
RP3369.102	Transforming Creations	Sep 19	8:30am-5pm	W	\$95
RP3369.112	Transforming Creations	Sep 19	8:30am-12:30pm	W	\$49
RP3369.122	Transforming Creations	Sep 19	1-5pm	W	\$49
RP3369.103	Wizards & Muggles	Oct 19	8:30am-5pm	F	\$95
RP3369.113	Wizards & Muggles	Oct 19	8:30am-12:30pm	F	\$49
RP3369.123	Wizards & Muggles	Oct 19	1-5pm	F	\$49
RP3369.104	Super Heroes	Nov 6	8:30am-5pm	Tu	\$95
RP3369.114	Super Heroes	Nov 6	8:30am-12:30pm	Tu	\$49
RP3369.124	Super Heroes	Nov 6	1-5pm	Tu	\$49
RP3369.105	Bat Heroes & Villains	Nov 7	8:30am-5pm	W	\$95
RP3369.115	Bat Heroes & Villains	Nov 7	8:30am-12:30pm	W	\$49
RP3369.125	Bat Heroes & Villains	Nov 7	1-5pm	W	\$49
RP3369.106	Robotics Coding & More	Nov 21	8:30am-5pm	W	\$95
RP3369.116	Robotics Coding & More	Nov 21	8:30am-12:30pm	W	\$49
RP3369.126	Robotics Coding & More	Nov 21	1-5pm	W	\$49
RP3369.107	Mining & Crafting	Dec 26	8:30am-5pm	W	\$95
RP3369.117	Mining & Crafting	Dec 26	8:30am-12:30pm	W	\$49
RP3369.127	Mining & Crafting	Dec 26	1-5pm	W	\$49
RP3369.108	Pocket Brick Monsters	Dec 27	8:30am-5pm	Th	\$95
RP3369.118	Pocket Brick Monsters	Dec 27	8:30am-12:30pm	Th	\$49
RP3369.128	Pocket Brick Monsters	Dec 27	1-5pm	Th	\$49
RP3369.109	Brick City Construction	Dec 28	8:30am-5pm	F	\$95
RP3369.119	Brick City Construction	Dec 28	8:30am-12:30pm	F	\$49
RP3369.129	Brick City Construction	Dec 28	1-5pm	F	\$49

School's Out Drama Workshops - Drama Learning Center

Why sit at home in front of the TV when you're off from school? Join us for a day of drama-themed fun with arts & crafts also! *Sibling fee is \$25 for each additional sibling, available via phone-in registration only.

Grades K-6 Drama Learning Ctr Classes: 1

RP0105.101	<i>Incredibles</i>	Sep 10	9am-4pm	M	\$75
RP0105.102	<i>Wreck It Ralph</i>	Sep 19	9am-4pm	W	\$75
RP0105.103	<i>Coco</i>	Oct 19	9am-4pm	F	\$75
RP0105.104	<i>Descendants</i>	Nov 6	9am-4pm	Tu	\$75
RP0105.105	<i>Descendants 2</i>	Nov 7	9am-4pm	W	\$75

School's Out LEGO® Engineering Workshop with Play-Well Teknologies

Power up your engineering skills with Play-Well Teknologies and tens of thousands of LEGO® pieces! Apply real-world concepts in physics, engineering, and architecture through engineer-designed projects such as arch bridges, skyscrapers, motorized cars, and the Battletrack! Design and build as never before; explore your craziest ideas in a supportive environment. An experienced instructor challenges new and returning students to engineer.

Grades K-3 Classes: 1

RP3366.101	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Sep 19	9am-4pm	W	\$69
RP3366.102	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Nov 6	9am-4pm	Tu	\$69
RP3366.103	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Nov 7	9am-4pm	W	\$69
RP3366.104	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Nov 21	9am-4pm	W	\$69

Schools Out TECH Scientific Workshops

Grades K-3 Wicked Weather! Classes: 1

Learn about the weather and its awesome phenomena! Create your own tornado and thunderstorms! Where does rain come from and how does rain form? Learn about the water cycle by creating a water cycle in a bag. Become a meteorologist and predict the weather by making your own barometer!

RP3304.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 10	9am-3:30pm	M	\$99
RP3304.111	Before Care	Sep 10	8-9am	M	\$12
RP3304.121	After Care	Sep 10	3:30-5pm	M	\$18

Grades K-3 Fall Back into Science Classes: 1

Fall in love with science as we explore chemical reactions and non-newtonian fluids, just to name a few! Science has never been so much fun as we create erupting "applecanos" and both applesauce and pumpkin oobleck! Become an engineer and catapult candy corn. How far will yours go?

RP3304.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 19	9am-3:30pm	W	\$99
RP3304.112	Before Care	Sep 19	8-9am	W	\$12
RP3304.122	After Care	Sep 19	3:30-5pm	W	\$18

Grades K-3 Ridiculous Rocketry Classes: 1

Amazed by space flight? You are cleared for blast-off into space by becoming a rocket engineer! Use water, air and chemical reactions to build the highest and fastest flying rockets. Blast off with straw rockets, balloon rockets and water rockets. Experiment with different chemical reactions to see which one works best!

RP3304.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 19	9am-3:30pm	F	\$99
RP3304.113	Before Care	Oct 19	8-9am	F	\$12
RP3304.123	After Care	Oct 19	3:30-5pm	F	\$18

Grades K-3 The Doctor Is In Classes: 1

Doc McStuffins is going to have some serious competition after your Little Doc attends this program! Take a look at bones and make their own model to show how our spine gives us space and supports the rest of our body. Explore taste buds and discover the science beyond what we taste. Use a stethoscope to hear your heart beat, and learn about how important the circulatory system is in keeping our bodies alive and healthy. Do an experiment replicating the different components of blood!

RP3304.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 6	9am-3:30pm	Tu	\$99
RP3304.114	Before Care	Nov 6	8-9am	Tu	\$12
RP3304.124	After Care	Nov 6	3:30-5pm	Tu	\$18

Grades K-3 Junior Movie Maker Classes: 1

Lights, Camera, Action! Move over Gumby, there's a new claymation expert in town! Create simple 3D animals out of clay and by the end of the day you'll leave with a stop motion movie you've created and filmed! Develop your movie using a story board, create your characters and make your own scenery. Using a web camera and the computer program ZU3D, watch a movie take shape right before your own eyes!

RP3304.105	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 7	9am-3:30pm	W	\$99
RP3304.115	Before Care	Nov 7	8-9am	W	\$12
RP3304.125	After Care	Nov 7	3:30-5pm	W	\$18

Grades K-3 Polymers and Potions Classes: 1

Did you know that bubbly, explosive concoctions are all just chemical reactions? Explore the chemical elements as we have fun creating your own reactions. Features experiments that are slimy, mushy, oozy, crusty, scaly, stinky and smelly! Create your own Gak and every little scientist's favorite...explosions!

RP3304.106	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 21	9am-3:30pm	W	\$99
RP3304.116	Before Care	Nov 21	8-9am	W	\$12
RP3304.126	After Care	Nov 21	3:30-5pm	W	\$18

Grades 3-6 Video Game Engineers! Classes: 1

In this brand new topic, become video game engineers! Use the software that professional video game designers use and learn how to program! Start out with the basics of video game design by creating a simple 2D Falling Fruit game or two-player Pong! Get more advanced and create your own submarine hunting game and dodge the mines in the deep ocean! You may take your games home.

RP3304.151	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 10	9am-3:30pm	M	\$99
RP3304.161	Before Care	Sep 10	8-9am	M	\$12
RP3304.171	After Care	Sep 10	3:30-5pm	M	\$18

Grades 3-6 Pull Your Own Weight! Classes: 1

Be stronger than you ever imagined! It's all about working smarter, not harder. Learn about simple machines and how we use them everyday to make tasks easy. Explore how pulleys and winches allow you to lift heavy objects with less force. Become engineers as you use your new found knowledge of levers to create a catapult that will be tested for accuracy, distance, and power. Use an incline plane to safely return an egg to the ground!

RP3304.152	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 19	9am-3:30pm	W	\$99
RP3304.162	Before Care	Sep 19	8-9am	W	\$12
RP3304.172	After Care	Sep 19	3:30-5pm	W	\$18

Grades 3-6 NASA Space Engineers! Classes: 1

Put your engineering skills to work as you work together to solve some of NASA's most intriguing problems! Can you place a NASA rover into the middle of a lunar crater? Can you design a space lander that keeps the astronauts safe while descending onto a new planet? Can you safely land a NASA payload onto Mars for a future space colony? Let your imagination and creativity take off as we investigate and solve some of NASA's most difficult problems of the future!

RP3304.153	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 19	9am-3:30pm	F	\$99
RP3304.163	Before Care	Oct 19	8-9am	F	\$12
RP3304.173	After Care	Oct 19	3:30-5pm	F	\$18

Grades 3-6 Super Circuitry! Classes: 1

Cook up and knead your very own conductive and insulative dough! Learn the basics of electricity and circuits using your homemade conductive dough. Make a light up "squishy" target! Create your own "dough battery" and car with light-up headlights! As you get more advanced, give the car a horn to beep too! Your imagination is the limit as you create frogs and crabs with eyes that light up!

RP3304.154	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 6	9am-3:30pm	Tu	\$99
RP3304.164	Before Care	Nov 6	8-9am	Tu	\$12
RP3304.174	After Care	Nov 6	3:30-5pm	Tu	\$18

Grades 3-6 Young Crime Scene Investigators Classes: 1

Learn how real crime scene investigators gather evidence and help solve crimes! Learn how to lift fingerprints from objects, extract your own DNA, analyze hair and fiber samples, and use chromatography to identify which pen was used to write a note! Will you be the next Howard County crime scene detective?

RP3304.155	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 7	9am-3:30pm	W	\$99
RP3304.165	Before Care	Nov 7	8-9am	W	\$12
RP3304.175	After Care	Nov 7	3:30-5pm	W	\$18



When you have a day off of school, come have fun at a robotics or LEGO® program!

Grades 3-6 Robot Mechanics Classes: 1

Want to build your own robot? Start with the basics of robotics by seeing how electricity works, and by creating simple circuits! Then quickly move into building your own walking Tin Can Robot! Take your robot home with you at the end of the day!

RP3304.156	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 21	9am-3:30pm	W	\$99
RP3304.166	Before Care	Nov 21	8-9am	W	\$12
RP3304.176	After Care	Nov 21	3:30-5pm	W	\$18

NEW! Teens Day Out: Teens on Tour *Page 52*

Winter Break Drama Workshops with Drama Learning Center

Focus on a different topic each day for drama-themed fun, arts and crafts and daily themes. Show parents and friends what you learned with a performance that concludes each day. Each additional sibling is \$25 for phone-in customers only. Call DLC (410-997-9352) for before and after-care.

Drama Learning Ctr Classes: 1

RP3338.201	Grades K-2	Mary Poppins	Dec 26	9am-4pm	W	\$75
RP3338.202	Grades K-2	The Grinch	Dec 27	9am-4pm	Th	\$75
RP3338.203	Grades K-2	Winter Wonderland	Dec 28	9am-4pm	F	\$75
RP3338.204	Grades 3-6	Mary Poppins	Dec 26	9am-4pm	W	\$75
RP3338.205	Grades 3-6	The Grinch	Dec 27	9am-4pm	Th	\$75
RP3338.206	Grades 3-6	Winter Wonderland	Dec 26	9am-4pm	W	\$75

NEW! Winter Break TECH Scientific: Our Wonderful World!

Our world is an amazing place! Focus on a different wonder each day - animals, our solar system, human bodies, and the ocean. Discover how animal adaptations help them survive, how our bodies fight disease, the wonders of space, along with animals that live in the deep blue sea and their habitat.

Grades K-3 Classes: 3

RP3304.201	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Dec 26	9am-3:30pm	W-F	\$199
RP3304.211	Before Care	Dec 26	8am-9am	W-F	\$45
RP3304.221	After Care	Dec 26	3:30-5pm	W-F	\$29

NEW! Winter Break TECH Scientific ROBLOX® Rocks!

In this brand new program, design your own ROBLOX® games! Have you heard of Jailbreak? Create your own version in ROBLOX® called Prison Break! Learn the programming language LUA and use the software that the professionals use to code your own game. Dive and dodge from barrels being thrown down a hill and race your friends to the top! Learn how to publish your games so friends and family can play the game that you coded!

Grades 3-5 Classes: 3

RP3305.201	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Dec 26	9am-3:30pm	W-F	\$199
RP3305.211	Before Care	Dec 26	8am-9am	W-F	\$29
RP3305.221	After Care	Dec 26	3:30-5pm	W-F	\$45

Winter Wonderland using LEGO® Winter Break Workshop with Play-Well Tek

Apply engineering, architecture, creativity and fun to create a magical winter wonderland! Build motorized contraptions like snowmobiles, gondolas and more! Create a hilltop village with slopes for our LEGO® skiers and sledgers.

Grades 1-4 Classes: 2

RP3370.201	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Dec 27	9am-4pm	Th-F	\$139
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Science & Technology

Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Bricks4Kidz LEGO® After School Amazing Animals

Its a zoo in here! This is a unit sure to delight kids who love creatures. We build models of snakes, insects, mammals and more. Each week we discuss fascinating facts about the animals we build, from the chameleon that changes colors to the seal model that waddles across the table. Children love these moving models that celebrate the wonders of the animal kingdom. Bricks4Kidz is a STEM-based program that teaches science and technology concepts using LEGO® bricks. (No class on half days or when school is not in session.) Info: www.brick4kidz.com/ellcottcity-md.

Grades K-5 Classes: 6

RP3329.131	Bellows Spring ES	Nov 15	4-5pm	Th	\$99
RP3329.132	Centennial Lane ES	Nov 28	3:15-4:15pm	W	\$99
RP3329.133	Clemens Crossing ES	Nov 15	3:50-4:50pm	Th	\$99
RP3329.134	Hanover Hills ES	Sep 25	3:25-4:25pm	Tu	\$99
RP3329.135	Longfellow ES	Nov 28	3:30-4:30pm	W	\$99
RP3329.136	Manor Woods ES	Sep 24	3:25-4:25pm	M	\$99
RP3329.137	Northfield ES	Sep 24	3:30-4:30pm	M	\$99
RP3329.138	St. John's Lane ES	Sep 25	3:20-4:20pm	Tu	\$99
RP3329.139	Triadelphia Ridge ES	Nov 16	4-5pm	F	\$99
RP3329.140	Waterloo ES	Nov 16	4-5pm	F	\$99

Bricks4Girlz LEGO® After School Coding & Crafting

We are cranking up the "maker fun" in our brand new Bricks 4 Girlz session. Each week your budding STEAM expert will code with LEGO® WeDo 2.0, and try some other cool coding programs, then each week we will make a fun craft to take home! (No class on half days or when school is not in session.)

Grades K-5 Classes: 6

RP3329.181	Bellows Spring ES	Sep 24	4-5:30pm	M	\$149
RP3329.182	Ducketts Lane ES	Nov 16	3:25-4:55pm	F	\$149
RP3329.183	Rockburn ES	Nov 13	3:25-4:55pm	Tu	\$149
RP3329.184	St. John's Lane ES	Sep 21	3:20-4:50pm	F	\$149
RP3329.185	Triadelphia Ridge ES	Nov 12	3:30-5pm	M	\$149
RP3329.186	Veterans ES	Sep 25	4-5:30pm	Tu	\$149

Bricks4Kidz LEGO® After School Engineering Adventures

What is an engineer? What kinds of jobs do engineers do? Learn all about it and so much more in this fun and engaging class! With our custom LEGO® kits, use motors to bring a bridge to life and make an elevator go up and down! Want to drive an electric car? How about you build one, drive it and then modify it! Creative-minded kids love this fun new theme! (No class on half days or when school is not in session.)

Grades K-5 Classes: 6

RP3329.151	Deep Run ES	Nov 28	4-5pm	W	\$99
RP3329.152	Ducketts Lane ES	Sep 27	3:25-4:25pm	Th	\$99
RP3329.153	Elkridge ES	Nov 13	4-5pm	Tu	\$99
RP3329.154	Hanover Hills ES	Nov 13	3:25-4:25pm	Tu	\$99
RP3329.155	Hollifield Station ES	Sep 24	3:20-4:20pm	M	\$99
RP3329.156	Ilchester ES	Sep 25	4-5pm	Tu	\$99
RP3329.157	Veterans ES	Nov 12	4-5pm	M	\$99

Bricks4Kidz LEGO® After School Life Science

Explore the fascinating science of living things while building models of creatures from caterpillars to dinosaurs! Topics include: how the human body stays cool, the amazing life cycle of a butterfly, and the venus fly trap - a plant that eats bugs! If you love creatures, this class is for you! Bricks4Kidz is a STEAM-based program that teaches science and technology concepts using LEGO® bricks. (No class on half days or when school is not in session.)

Info: www.brick4kidz.com/ellcottcity-md.

Grades K-5 Classes: 6

RP3329.141	Centennial Lane ES	Sep 26	3:15-4:15pm	W	\$99
RP3329.142	Clemens Crossing ES	Sep 27	3:50-4:50pm	Th	\$99
RP3329.143	Manor Woods ES	Nov 12	3:20-4:20pm	M	\$99
RP3329.144	Northfield ES	Nov 12	3:30-4:30pm	M	\$99
RP3329.145	Rockburn ES	Sep 26	3:25-4:25pm	W	\$99
RP3329.146	St. John's Lane ES	Nov 13	3:20-4:20pm	Tu	\$99

Little LEGO® Robotics After School

This brand new program introduces new LEGO® WeDo model builds! Come learn how to code and program LEGO® WeDo robot builds to move. Construct a giant that awakens when there is movement nearby! Build a racing car and a jumping rabbit, all with LEGO® bricks and coded by you! (No class 10/6, 10/19, 11/7, 11/20-11/23.) Info: Adam Wienckowski, 410-313-4714 or awienckowski@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades K-3 Classes: 7

RP3357.101	Atholton ES	Oct 10	4-5pm	W	\$145
RP3357.102	Dayton Oaks ES	Oct 5	3:35-4:35pm	F	\$145
RP3357.103	Ducketts Lane ES	Oct 2	3:25-4:25pm	Tu	\$145
RP3357.104	Fulton ES	Oct 1	4-5pm	M	\$145
RP3357.105	Gorman Crossing ES	Oct 4	4-5pm	Th	\$145
RP3357.106	Hammond ES	Oct 4	3:35-4:35pm	Th	\$145
RP3357.107	West Friendship ES	Oct 10	3:50-4:50pm	W	\$145

Little Veterinarian School - ABCs of Dog Care

Enjoy unparalleled opportunities to immerse yourself in the fascinating world of veterinary medicine! Begin by adopting a stuffed puppy, that you take home at the end of the course. Aspiring little vets, learn how to examine dogs and assess their health, how to treat common illnesses, and deliver immunizations. Learn about ticks and other common problems among pets. Your even learn some basic suturing skills! At the end of the course, we celebrate our little vet's achievements in a fun graduation ceremony, where they will receive a diploma as a graduate of the Little Veterinarian School!

\$35 materials fee per due at first class. Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades K-5 Classes: 6

RP3354.101	Ilchester ES	Oct 31	4-5pm	W	\$179
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Little Medical School - Calling Future Doctors!

Aspiring little docs, come scrub in, glove up and immerse in the fascinating world of medicine over hours of interactive instruction. Become engaged and inspired, as you discover how to use common doctor's tools, learn how the heart, lungs, and digestive system work, practice tying knots like a real surgeon and so much more! Listen to a heartbeat using your own personal working stethoscope! Come role play, work with models, develop skills, draw, think critically and creatively, and most importantly... learn! At the end of each course, enjoy a fun graduation ceremony and receive a diploma as a graduate of the Little Medical School! **\$35 materials fee due at first class.** Info: Scott Corning, 410-313-4622 or scorning@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades K-5 Classes: 6

RP3353.101 Hanover Hills ES Oct 26 3:25-4:25pm F \$179

NEW! Science Club After School with Club SciKidz

Fall 2018 theme: The Mystery of Light & Sound. Come discover what creates sound and light! Build your own stringed instrument and a kazoo with different materials while learning the science of why and how we hear. Learn how sound moves through different objects. Discover the part light plays in how we see. Use water to create optical illusions and learn how light refraction makes objects look different in water. Use Play-Doh to investigate both light and sound by creating circuits. (No class 10/3, 10/19, 11/6, 11/7, 11/20-11/23.) Info: www.clubscikidz.com.

Grades K-3 Classes: 8

RP3355.101	Centennial Lane ES	Sep 24	3:15-4:15pm	M	\$145
RP3355.102	Clarksville ES	Sep 28	4-5pm	F	\$145
RP3355.103	Clemens Crossing ES	Sep 26	3:50-4:50pm	W	\$145
RP3355.104	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 25	3:35-4:35pm	Tu	\$145
RP3355.105	Deep Run ES	Sep 24	4-5pm	M	\$145
RP3355.106	Elkridge ES	Sep 27	4-5pm	Th	\$145
RP3355.107	Fulton ES	Sep 28	4-5pm	F	\$145
RP3355.108	Gorman Crossing ES	Sep 28	4-5pm	F	\$145
RP3355.109	Hammond ES	Sep 25	3:35-4:35pm	Tu	\$145
RP3355.110	Hanover Hills ES	Sep 26	3:25-4:25pm	W	\$145
RP3355.111	Hollifield Station ES	Sep 26	3:25-4:25pm	W	\$145
RP3355.112	Northfield ES	Sep 28	4-5pm	F	\$145
RP3355.113	Rockburn ES	Sep 27	3:25-4:25pm	Th	\$145
RP3355.114	St. John's Lane ES	Sep 27	3:20-4:20pm	Th	\$145
RP3355.115	Triadelphia Ridge ES	Sep 24	3:15-4:15pm	M	\$145
RP3355.116	Waterloo ES	Sep 24	4-5pm	M	\$145
RP3355.117	West Friendship ES	Sep 25	3:50-4:50pm	Tu	\$145

3D Printing After School with Idea Lab Kids - Animals & Dinosaurs

Using a 3D printer, learn how to build basic models of animals and their habitats, including dinosaurs, and take home artifacts that are the printed products of each design! Learn fun facts and key concepts about animals and their survival patterns. (No class 10/19, 11/6, 11/7, 11/19-11/23.)

Grades 1-3 Classes: 8

RP3397.101	Bushy Pk ES	Oct 8	3:55-4:55pm	M	\$149
RP3397.102	Forest Ridge ES	Oct 12	3:50-4:50pm	F	\$149
RP3397.103	Hanover Hills ES	Oct 11	3:25-4:25pm	Th	\$149
RP3397.104	Thunder Hill ES	Oct 9	4-5pm	Tu	\$149
RP3397.105	Worthington ES	Oct 10	4-5pm	W	\$149

To register, visit
www.howardcountymd.gov/rap
or call 410-313-7275.



Brick4Kidz LEGO® programs are a fun way to spend an afternoon after school. Learn, make friends and have a great time!

NEW! Super Hero Engineering using LEGO® After School with Play-Well Tek

Save the world with Super Heroes! Build the hideouts and vehicles of your favorite caped crusaders. Learn what makes them not only Super Heroes, but Super Hero Engineers! An experienced Play-Well instructor guides young heroes as they design, build, and save a city, where ingenuity and imagination can solve any conflict. (No class 11/19, 11/22.)

Grades K-2 Classes: 8

RP3371.101	Forest Ridge ES	Oct 4	3:50-5:20pm	Th	\$175
RP3371.102	Pointers Run ES	Oct 1	4-5:30pm	M	\$175

Minecraft Animation After School with C3 Cyber Club

Do you want to become an animator? Using Mine-imator software, enjoy being introduced to basic animation techniques with Minecraft characters and stages! Expand your observation skills and imagination by studying motion in reality and how it influences motion in animation. Create various short animation exercises and projects by applying basic acting theories and animation principles to scenes they create. (No class 10/19, 11/19, 11/22, 12/24, 12/26, 12/27, 12/31.)

Grades 1-3 Classes: 6

RP3328.101	Centennial Lane ES	Sep 25	3:15-4:15pm	Tu	\$145
RP3328.102	Elkridge ES	Nov 28	4-5pm	W	\$145
RP3328.103	Pointers Run ES	Nov 15	4-5pm	Th	\$145
RP3328.104	Rockburn ES	Sep 24	3:25-4:25pm	M	\$145
RP3328.105	Triadelphia Ridge ES	Sep 25	3:30-4:30pm	Tu	\$145

Grades 3-5 Classes: 6

RP3328.111	Dayton Oaks ES	Nov 28	3:35-4:35pm	W	\$145
RP3328.112	Deep Run ES	Sep 28	4-5pm	F	\$145
RP3328.113	Northfield ES	Sep 27	3:30-4:30pm	Th	\$145
RP3328.114	Phelps Luck ES	Sep 28	3:25-4:25pm	F	\$145
RP3328.115	Thunder Hill ES	Nov 12	4-5pm	M	\$145



After school, come learn how to create game play items in Minecraft Modding!

Minecraft Modding After School with C3 Cyber Club

Create custom game play items and elements using Mcreator and Minecraft! Create artwork for various items and implement them into the game with custom behaviors. Learn texturing, logic flow, asset organization, and custom event triggers. Design custom blocks, items, food, biomes and more! (No class 10/3, 10/19, 11/7, 11/19, 11/22, 12/24-1/1.)

Grades 1-3 Classes: 6

RP3330.101	Deep Run ES	Sep 25	4-5pm	Tu	\$145
RP3330.102	Elkridge ES	Nov 30	4-5pm	F	\$145
RP3330.103	Manor Woods ES	Sep 26	3:25-4:25pm	W	\$145
RP3330.104	Phelps Luck ES	Nov 12	3:25-4:25pm	M	\$145
RP3330.105	Swansfield ES	Sep 27	4-5pm	Th	\$145

Grades 3-5 Classes: 6

RP3330.111	Hammond ES	Sep 28	3:35-4:35pm	F	\$145
RP3330.112	Hollifield Station ES	Nov 15	3:20-4:20pm	Th	\$145
RP3330.113	Jeffers Hill ES	Sep 24	3:35-4:35pm	M	\$145
RP3330.115	Worthington ES	Nov 27	4-5pm	Tu	\$145
RP3330.114	St. John's Lane ES	Dec 5	3:20-4:20pm	W	\$145

Minecraft Programming After School with C3 Cyber Club

Learn programming the fun way. Using a custom mod called "Computer-craft," learn how to program robots called "turtles" inside the world of Minecraft. Program your robot to complete tasks and objectives to automatically build, mine and craft items and structures. Be introduced to programming if-then-else statements, for while loops, and implement functions using LUA, a scripting language. (No class 10/3, 10/19, 11/7, 11/9, 11/19, 11/22, 12/24-12/28, 12/31, 1/1.)

Grades 1-3 Classes: 6

RP3326.101	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 26	3:30-4:30pm	W	\$145
RP3326.102	Fulton ES	Sep 25	4-5pm	Tu	\$145
RP3326.103	Hanover Hills ES	Nov 12	3:25-4:25pm	M	\$145
RP3326.104	Northfield ES	Nov 15	3:30-4:30pm	Th	\$145

Grades 3-5 Classes: 6

RP3326.111	Bellows Spring ES	Nov 12	4-5pm	M	\$145
RP3326.112	Ducketts Lane ES	Nov 15	3:25-4:25pm	Th	\$145
RP3326.113	Ilchester ES	Sep 28	3:25-4:25pm	F	\$145
RP3326.114	Pointers Run ES	Sep 26	4-5pm	W	\$145
RP3326.115	Pointers Run ES	Nov 27	3:30-4:30pm	Tu	\$145
RP3326.105	West Friendship ES	Nov 30	3:50-4:50pm	F	\$145

Video Game Design & Production After School with C3 Cyber Club

Specifically designed for younger children. Cultivate an interest in game designers, multimedia artists, engineers, programmers and more! See how Indie and professional games are made! Use basic 3D geometry to create their very own video game level. Create puzzles and challenges using jump pads, elevators, lava and more! Acquire computer skills, mathematics, creativity and basic problem-solving skills. (No class 10/3, 11/7, 12/25, 1/1.)

Grades 1-3 Classes: 6

RP3327.102	Centennial Lane ES	Nov 27	3:15-4:15pm	Tu	\$145
RP3327.103	Lisbon ES	Sep 26	3:15-4:15pm	W	\$145
RP3327.104	Phelps Luck ES	Sep 24	3:25-4:25pm	M	\$145
RP3327.105	Waterloo ES	Sep 27	4-5pm	Th	\$145

Coding Club Before School with Silver Knights

Learn to create stories, games, and animations using a visual programming language called Scratch. It's as easy to use as snapping together building blocks! With Scratch, learn to think creatively, work collaboratively, and reason systematically. Mazes and platform games make learning logic, coding, and animation fun and creative! Our curriculum teaches new coders the basics while challenging experienced coders to create complex programs. Silver Knights provides a laptop for every child. (No class 11/6, 11/22.)

Grades 2-5 Classes: 8

RP3325.101	Bellows Spring ES	Oct 4	8:10-9:10am	Th	\$215
RP3325.102	Ilchester ES	Oct 2	8:10-9:10am	Tu	\$215
RP3325.103	Pointers Run ES	Oct 1	8:10-9:10am	M	\$215

NEW! eSports Apprentice After School with Black Rocket

The fastest growing sport is not on a field – it's online! eSports are playing competitive video games with leagues, teams, and break out players. More people watched the eSports Finals than the World Series last year! Learn how to compete and play, create game levels in a unique app, and participate in live events online in a supervised environment specifically designed for kids. **\$10 laptop fee due at first class.** (No class 10/3, 11/7, 10/19, 11/19, 11/22, 12/24-1/1.)

Grades 3-5 Classes: 6

RP3392.101	Clemens Crossing ES	Sep 28	3:50-5:20pm	F	\$115
RP3392.102	Cradlerock ES	Sep 26	2:50-4:20pm	W	\$115
RP3392.103	Manor Woods ES	Sep 27	4-5:30pm	Th	\$115
RP3392.104	Northfield ES	Sep 25	3:30-5pm	Tu	\$115
RP3392.105	St. John's Lane ES	Sep 24	3:30-5pm	M	\$115
RP3392.111	Atholton ES	Nov 12	4-5:30pm	M	\$115
RP3392.112	Gorman Crossing ES	Nov 27	4-5:30pm	Tu	\$115
RP3392.113	Swansfield ES	Nov 30	3:20-4:50pm	F	\$115
RP3392.114	Triadelphia Ridge ES	Dec 5	3:30-5pm	W	\$115
RP3392.115	West Friendship ES	Nov 15	3:50-5:20pm	Th	\$115

NEW! ROBLOX® Entrepreneurs!

After School with Black Rocket

ROBLOX® is the fastest growing video game for kids and adults and includes a marketplace for players to sell what they create. Come have fun while creating and coding ROBLOX® worlds while learning how to publish and earn money through the ROBLOX® marketplace. Work in pairs or teams.

\$10 laptop fee due at first class.

(No class 10/3, 10/19, 11/7, 11/19, 11/22, 12/24-1/1.)

Grades 3-5 Classes: 6

RP3393.101	Ducketts Lane ES	Sep 24	3:25-4:55pm	M	\$115
RP3393.102	Forest Ridge ES	Sep 26	3:50-5:20pm	W	\$115
RP3393.103	Rockburn ES	Sep 28	3:25-4:55pm	F	\$115
RP3393.104	Swansfield ES	Sep 25	3:20-4:50pm	Tu	\$115
RP3393.105	Thunder Hill ES	Sep 27	4-5:30pm	Th	\$115
RP3393.111	Bushy Park ES	Nov 30	3:55-5:25pm	F	\$115

RP3393.112	Deep Run ES	Nov 15	4-5:30pm	Th	\$115
RP3393.113	Lisbon ES	Nov 27	3:15-4:45pm	Tu	\$115
RP3393.114	Running Brook ES	Nov 12	4-5:30pm	M	\$115
RP3393.115	Waterloo ES	Dec 5	4-5:30pm	W	\$115

NEW! Science Club After School with Club SciKidz

Build your very own lightsaber in this brand-new program to gain an understanding of how electricity works! Learn about parallel circuits by building Iron Man's Arc Reactor. Create your own superhero with Play-Doh and learn how to make your superhero light up! Other projects include a 3D light-up lighthouse and a Star Wars lightsaber card. (No class 10/3, 10/19, 11/6, 11/7, 11/20-11/23.) Info: www.clubscikidz.com.

Grades 3-5 Classes: 8

RP3355.131	Centennial Lane ES	Sep 24	3:15-4:15pm	M	\$145
RP3355.132	Clarksville ES	Sep 28	4-5pm	F	\$145
RP3355.133	Clemens Crossing ES	Sep 26	3:50-4:50pm	W	\$145
RP3355.134	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 25	3:35-4:35pm	Tu	\$145
RP3355.135	Deep Run ES	Sep 24	4-5pm	M	\$145
RP3355.136	Elkridge ES	Sep 27	4-5pm	Th	\$145
RP3355.137	Fulton ES	Sep 28	4-5pm	F	\$145
RP3355.138	Gorman Crossing ES	Sep 28	4-5pm	F	\$145
RP3355.139	Hammond ES	Sep 25	3:35-4:35pm	Tu	\$145
RP3355.140	Hanover Hills ES	Sep 26	3:25-4:25pm	W	\$145
RP3355.141	Hollifield Station ES	Sep 26	3:20-4:20pm	W	\$145
RP3355.142	Northfield ES	Sep 28	4-5pm	F	\$145
RP3355.143	Rockburn ES	Sep 27	3:25-4:25pm	Th	\$145
RP3355.144	St. John's Lane ES	Sep 27	3:20-4:20pm	Th	\$145
RP3355.145	Triadelphia Ridge ES	Sep 24	3:15-4:15pm	M	\$145
RP3355.146	Waterloo ES	Sep 24	4-5pm	M	\$145
RP3355.147	West Friendship ES	Sep 25	3:50-4:50pm	Tu	\$145

WeDo LEGO® Meets Scratch Advanced After School with Tech Scientific

Take LEGO® WeDo to new levels by coding your creation with Scratch! Kids join their LEGO® engineering and coding skills to build a Hopping Frog and program it with Scratch. Learn to use Scratch to communicate with the motor and sensors and create a story. Code your story in Scratch and synchronize it with the frog assembly. (No class 10/19, 11/6, 11/7, 11/20-11/23.)

Grades 3-5 Classes: 8

RP3359.101	Bellows Spring ES	Oct 2	4-5pm	Tu	\$165
RP3359.102	Clarksville ES	Oct 1	4-5pm	M	\$165
RP3359.103	Dayton Oaks ES	Oct 4	3:35-4:35pm	Th	\$165
RP3359.104	Fulton ES	Oct 10	4-5pm	W	\$165
RP3359.105	Gorman Crossing ES	Oct 1	4-5pm	M	\$165
RP3359.107	Pointers Run ES	Oct 5	4-5pm	F	\$165

Video Game Design & Production After School

Aspiring game designers love this class, as they have the chance to learn how to utilize the industry-standard game design software Unreal® Editor, among other software, used to create the games Batman: Arkham Asylum® and Mass Effect®. Learn how to create exterior environments and apply different procedures of modeling and texturing. Create an outdoor terrain using advanced tools such as terrain sculpting, particle creation, and dynamic lighting. Import pre-set 3D models, control dynamic lighting, add interactive vehicles and weapons. (No class 10/19, 11/19, 11/22, 12/24-12/31, 1/1.)

Grades 3-5 Classes: 6

RP3327.111	Clemens Crossing ES	Sep 25	3:50-4:50pm	Tu	\$145
RP3327.112	Fulton ES	Nov 15	4-5pm	Th	\$145
RP3327.113	Manor Woods ES	Sep 28	3:25-4:25pm	F	\$145
RP3327.114	Rockburn ES	Nov 27	3:25-4:25pm	Tu	\$145
RP3327.115	West Friendship ES	Nov 12	3:50-4:50pm	M	\$145



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Teens & Tweens

Teens & Tweens (11-18 yrs) Classes & Activities

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Crafts & Fine Arts & Photography

Anime & Manga: Styles of Classic Mangaka

Appealing to readers of all ages and backgrounds, "manga" (Japanese comics) is the world's most versatile and influential form of sequential art. Beginners and veteran artists, learn what techniques make manga so popular and how to incorporate them into their drawing. Supplies included, but you are encouraged to bring your own sketchbook. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-17 yrs Classes: 4

RP2855.101	Ellicott Mills MS	Nov 27	6:30-8pm	Tu	\$69
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NEW! Character Design Class

Enjoy learning proportion, basic anatomy, and comparative size among characters. Create ways to make your characters interesting visually. Enjoy creating types of backstory, history, and motives behind your character which influence their appearance and mannerisms. Examine what makes a protagonist and an antagonist and how these elements affect key features in visual designs. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-17 yrs Classes: 4

RP2854.102	Clarksville MS	Oct 18	6-8pm	Th	\$75
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Learn how to focus, zoom, and edit during our camera class specifically for teens!

Comics Unleashed

Explore comic book design and learn basic drawing techniques, character design, page composition, layout, penciling and inking. Explore a variety of comic genres including superhero, Manga, Indie, and graphic novels. Please wear comfortable clothing you don't mind getting dirty. You are encouraged to bring a sketchbook for class and at-home practice. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-17 yrs Classes: 4

RP2854.101 Dunloggin MS Oct 2 6-8pm Tu \$75

Digital Photography

Learn how to take your best pictures. Explore composition, lighting and the elements that make memorable photographs. Learn about shutter speed, exposure and using flash and basics on how your camera works. Practice shooting using your camera's built in settings and scene modes. Bring your camera. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-17 yrs Classes: 4

RP2856.101 EC Colored Sch Restored Oct 7 12:30-2:30pm Su \$69

Drawing Techniques

Strengthen your drawing skills as you focus on different media including graphite, charcoal, colored pencils, pastels and watercolor pencils. Techniques include modeling, color transitions, gesture style, blending and wet-on-dry. Materials are provided but you are encouraged to bring a sketchbook. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-17 yrs Classes: 6

RP2851.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Nov 10 10:30am-noon Sa \$85

Painting for Teens

Work in acrylics to learn or master color mixing, brush work and how to "build" a painting rich with texture and color. The instructor does a demonstration painting each week and works with you one-on-one. Previous experience not necessary. Materials included. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-17 yrs Classes: 5

RP2853.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Oct 6 10:30am-noon Sa \$75

Dance

Hip Hop Dance with Nysia Carter

During this high-energy class, focus on choreography, perfect your skills and learn hip-hop, popping and breakdancing techniques. With an easy-to-follow breakdown of the basic moves, learn how to put various steps together that allow you to step comfortably onto a dance floor at any event. Wear comfortable clothes; jazz shoes or sneakers required. (No class 11/24).

Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609, or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-17 yrs Classes: 12

RP2857.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 22 5-6pm Sa \$139

Enrichment & Personal Development

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Job Skills

Babysitting Fundamentals

This babysitter training course emphasizes child development, safety, security, first aid, understanding, patience, and other necessary skills. Class includes introduction to hands-only CPR and AED, but does not include CPR certification. Registrants must be at least 11 years old by the first class.

Receive a certificate upon course completion. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-15 yrs Classes: 2

RP2862.101 Ellicott Mills MS Oct 10 5:30-7:30pm W \$69

RP2862.102 Clarksville MS Dec 5 5:30-7:30pm W \$69

NEW! Teen Cuisine

Need to improve your cooking skills? Want to learn some new techniques and recipes for everyday cooking? Ever wonder how to make simple meals? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then this is the class for you! Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609, or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-15 yrs Classes: 4

RP2915.101 Harpers Choice MS Oct 5 6:30-8:30pm F \$159

Leadership

Howard County Teen Clubs

Join a diverse group of teens to represent the youth of Howard County and promote programs and events at community centers across the county. Bring your creative ideas and help develop new activities for teens. Monthly meetings focus on developing leadership, social networking and marketing skills. Earn service-learning hours at the meetings and events. Attend four or more meetings and receive a free center membership. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609, wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 6-11 Free

RP2880.103 N Laurel Comm Ctr Nov 16 4:30-6pm 3rd Friday of month

RP2880.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Oct 5 4-5:30pm 1st Friday of month

RP2880.102 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Oct 12 3:30-5pm 2nd Friday of month

Modeling/Fashion

Modeling School:

Commercial Acting and Modeling

Join Sean Gibson, a former National Modeling Agency Director, National Modeling School Instructor, and current Model Citizens Models, LLC scout. Workshop teaches you the skills needed to enter the modeling industry. Learn skills needed to successfully model in catalogues, cosmetics, television, magazine, newspaper, billboards, and more. Class also focuses on personality development, confidence, interviewing skills, auditioning,

goal-setting, public speaking techniques and more! Not planning to be a model? How about having the confidence of a model? Perform a monologue or commercial in the graduation event. Info: Holly Harden, 410-313-4625 or harden@howardcountymd.gov or Sean@teenfashionshow.com.

11-17 yrs Classes: 8

RP2867.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 29 12:30-2pm Sa \$119

Personal Development

NEW! How to be an Entrepreneur

During the IDEA Lab, Entrepreneur students learn presentation skills, creative thinking, and problem solving skills when they take the road to Entrepreneurship. From learning about costs, budgeting, product design all the way to hosting their own small business showcase, these budding entrepreneurs will learn money management, problem solving and other entrepreneurial skills. Business product ideas are brought to life with the use of technology, allowing our students to design and manipulate 3D design models.

Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609, or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 6-8 Classes: 7

RP2940.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Oct 28 Noon-1pm Su \$199

NEW! Making Bank: How to Make a Profit

Learn about how banks work and how to save, budget, and invest money.

Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609, or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 6-8 Classes: 7

RP2940.102 Dunloggin MS Sep 21 6-7pm F \$199

Social Etiquette &

Communication Skills Express

Designed for the student with a busy schedule, this class emphasizes the importance of having responsible decorum in all aspects of life. Topics include initial impressions, dress for success, conversation and listening, etiquette in public, phone and electronic etiquette. Don't miss this opportunity to discover why research demonstrates that social skills are paramount for success in later life! This is a great class as an introduction or a refresher. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609, or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

12-16 yrs Classes: 1

RP2868.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Oct 30 6-8pm Tu \$55

Writing

Creative Writing for Teens

Students, explore creative writing through poetry, fiction, and non-fiction. Compose short stories, autobiographical works, and poems. Develop your own voices as authors as well as original plots and character development. The last class features a brief reading highlighting each student's work. Info: Holly Harden, 410-313-4625 or harden@howardcountymd.gov.

11-16 yrs Classes: 4

RP2865.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Oct 21 2-4pm Su \$60

Music & Theater Arts

Music

NEW! Electronic Music Production with Ableton Live

Produce original music by learning the fundamentals of the industry-standard software for electronic music production, Ableton Live 10. Learn skills and techniques used by professional producers. All electronic equipment is provided, including a MacBook Pro and USB/MIDI keyboard controller. Maintain 100% of the royalties for your music. No musical experience is required! Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 6-12 Classes: 6

RP2965.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Oct 19 5:30-7:30pm F \$415

Guitar Studio with Olenka School of Music (OSM)

Bring your electric or acoustic guitar and get ready to play your favorite songs. Learn valuable warm-ups and finger exercises, scales and how to apply basic chords to any song, in any style of music. No previous music experience necessary. Students must bring their own guitar. **\$30 materials fee per student due at first class.** Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-15 yrs OSM Columbia Classes: 5

RP2873.101 Sep 17 6:30-7:30pm M \$130

Intro to Piano

Learn to play the piano in this introductory class. Play a variety of musical styles to gain confidence and develop musical skills. Learn and practice on your own keyboard. Must have access to a keyboard to practice on outside class. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-17 yrs Classes: 9

RP2872.101 River Hill HS Sep 22 10-11am Sa \$115

NEW! Jr. Rockerz at The Columbia Rock School

Jr. Rockerz is a rock band program designed to make playing an instrument fun and easy. This is for both the complete beginner and the experienced musician. Enjoy a songwriting component designed to tap into each your creative voice. Instruments are provided. There is no expectation of practice and is meant to teach you how to love music and enjoy playing in a band. Class culminates with a live performance on the final class.

\$20 materials fee due at first class. Schedule subject to change, visit www.therockshopmd.com. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-17 yrs The Rock Shop Classes: 5

RP2871.101 Sep 28 6-7pm F \$149

RP2871.102 Sep 28 7-8pm F \$149

Vocal Teenz with Olenka School of Music

Strengthen and improve your natural vocal talents while collaborating with fellow vocalists to create one-of-a-kind improvisational vocal performances. Choose songs, design staging, assign solos (everyone has a chance to shine), and develop choreography. **\$30 materials fee per family (cash/check to OSM) due at first class.** (No class 11/20.) Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609, wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-15 yrs OSM Ellicott City Classes: 5

RP2879.104 Nov 6 6:30-7:30pm Tu \$130

RP2879.102 Sep 11 6:30-7:30pm Tu \$130

11-15 yrs OSM Columbia Classes: 5

RP2879.101 Sep 17 5:30-6:30pm M \$130

RP2879.103 Nov 12 5:30-6:30pm M \$130

Voice

Do you want to sing like a star? This beginning vocal course teaches you everything you need to know. Learn music theory, vocal techniques, and rhythmic and harmonic reading. Enjoy the spotlight as you perform for an audience and showcase your new talents. No experience necessary! Everyone has a voice, what's yours? Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-17 yrs Classes: 9

RP2890.101 River Hill HS Sep 22 11am-noon Sa \$85

To register, visit
www.howardcountymd.gov/rap
or call 410-313-7275.

Theater

NEW! Production Class Disney's Newsies

Open the door and seize the day! When titans of publishing raise distribution prices, charismatic Jack Kelly and a band of teenage newsies rally across the city to strike against unfair conditions and fight for what's right. Students learn and improve singing, dancing, and acting skills as they work as part of a theatrical team. Please note that class also contains students grades 1-5. For elementary registrations, please see page 43. **\$50 materials fee due at first class.** Dress rehearsals: 11/13-16 from 12:30-4pm & 11/18 from 5-8:30pm. Final performances: 11/19 & 11/20 at 6:30pm. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 6-8 11-17 yrs Classes: 8

RP2877.104 Drama Learning Ctr Sep 27 1-3:30pm Th \$255

Intro to Acting

Enjoy an introduction to the concepts crucial to the theatrical arts: self-awareness, observation, improvisation, creative imagination, and storytelling. Move towards building and heightening responsiveness to action and the development of an actor's skills. Students create, stage, and perform their own scenes. Last class features a short performance highlighting each actor. Info: Holly Harden, 410-313-4625 or harden@howardcountymd.gov.

11-17 yrs Classes: 4

RP2875.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 30 2-4pm Su \$69

Production Class: Disney's Newsies

Open the door and seize the day! When titans of publishing raise distribution prices, charismatic Jack Kelly and a band of teenage Newsies rally across the city to strike against unfair conditions and fight for what's right. Learn and improve singing, dancing, and acting skills as they work as part of a theatrical team. **\$50 materials fee due at first class.** (Please note: Tuesday and Wednesday sections include students 3rd-5th grade. For elementary school registrants please see "Youth" section.) Visit online or review class info for dress rehearsal and performance info. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 6-12 Classes: 9

RP2877.101 Drama Learning Ctr Sep 29 10:30am-1pm Sa \$305

Grades 6-8 Classes: 8

RP2877.102 Drama Learning Ctr Sep 18 5-7:30pm Tu \$305

RP2877.103 Drama Learning Ctr Sep 26 5-7:30pm W \$305

School's Out & Special Events

NEW! Teens Day Out: Teens on Tour

School is closed, so come have fun and make new friends in this program created just for you. Come spend a day at an amazing destination. Our engaged and energetic staff create an environment where everyone is welcome. You have lots of time to be active, but also time to relax. Bring a non-perishable lunch/drink, Fee does not include meals and additional spending money may be necessary for some trips. Participants meet at a designated site listed below. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

11-16 yrs Roger Carter Comm Ctr Classes: 1

Launch Trampoline Park & Arundel Mills Movie Theatre

RP2882.101 Oct 19 9am-5pm F \$79

Skate Zone & Glen Burnie Bowling Alley

RP2882.102 Nov 7 9am-5pm W \$79

Teen Lock-in!

Want to stay up really late? Get ready for a night of cooperative games, music, movies, delicious food, contests and more. This after-hours party includes all-night access to gym, night-time Nerf battles, and video game tournaments. You are supervised at all times by our experienced & energetic staff. Boys and girls sleep in different rooms. Food and snacks include



Interested in 3D printing? Creating custom game play items? Then check out our C3 classes specifically for middle schoolers.

pizza at 10pm, midnight snack and continental breakfast at 8am. Bring your sleeping bag and pillow, comfortable clothes and shoes for sports. All participants must be checked in by 9pm. Info: Holly Harden, 410-313-4625 or harden@howardcountymd.gov.

11-15 yrs Classes: 1

RP2985.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Dec 7 7pm-9am F \$49

NEW! Teens Nite Out!

Teens are taking over the Community Center! Get ready for a night of games, contests, sports, swimming and more. You are supervised at all times by our experienced and energetic staff. Bring your swimsuit and towel and shoes for sports. All participants must be checked in by 8pm. Light snacks and drinks included. Info: Holly Harden, 410-313-4625 or harden@howardcountymd.gov.

11-16 yrs Classes: 1 \$19 in advance \$24 at the door

RP2991.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Nov 3 6-10pm Sa

Science & Technology

C3 Cyber Club: 3D Modeling for 3D Printing

Technology is evolving quickly and there is an infinite amount of things that can be done with emerging tools such as a 3D printer. Learn how to 3D model in efficient and constructive ways that allow for objects designed to be printed out, while also learning about the terminology of 3D modeling and the printer. Learn about geometry, measurement, perspective, and precision 3D modeling. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 6-8 Classes: 7

RP2960.102 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 23 Noon-1pm Su \$145

C3 Cyber Club: Minecraft Modding

Learn how to create custom game play items and elements using MCreator and Minecraft. Create artwork for various items, and implement them into the game with custom behaviors while learning about texturing, logic flow, asset organization, and custom event triggers. Design your own custom blocks, weapons, food, biomes and more! Enjoy modding Minecraft today! Learn about texture design, custom events, game modification, problem-solving, and design skills. Info: William Banks, 410-313-4609 or wbanks@howardcountymd.gov.

Grades 6-8 Classes: 7

RP2960.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 23 11am-noon Su \$145

EXPRESS YOURSELF

ADULT PROGRAMS RECREATION & EDUCATION



Adults (18 yrs +) Classes & Activities

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Cooking

• Programs listed by date order and are for 18 years and older.

NEW! Treasures of the Sea with Chef Ravi

Dive into an evening of fascinating seafood! We start off with shrimp spring rolls with a sweet chili sauce and a heavenly tandoori salmon (marinated in a blend of sour cream, yogurt, ginger, garlic and spices) served on a bed of fresh slaw tempered with mustard seeds and curry leaves. Entree is a crab Kovalam (mini crab cakes with coconut, green chilies and old bay) in a smooth velvety coconut cream sauce with red chilies and cilantro served with a lime and peanut pulao. **\$25 materials fee due at class.** (This is a demonstration-style class.) Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

RP0501.101 Arc of Howard County Sep 5 6:30-9pm W \$25

Gluten Free Baking & Cooking

All new recipes! Join published authors for a fun, informative class on cooking and baking gluten- and sugar-free. Get hands-on experience working with gluten-free flours and alternative sweeteners. Presenters make recipes in class to taste, and students put together all ingredients in the classroom to bake at home. Menus: September 24: Pierogies & Pseudo Saltines; October 19: Home-made Pasta & Three Seed Bread; November 5: Mastering Pie Crusts-Sweet Potato Pie & Crepes. **\$22 materials fee due at class includes a 44-page handout with information on substituting ingredients, cooking mishaps and more.** Please include any allergies or food sensitivities you have when registering. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

RP0506.101 Mt. Hebron HS Sep 24 6-9pm M \$32

RP0506.102 Mt. Hebron HS Oct 19 6-9pm F \$32

RP0506.103 Mt. Hebron HS Nov 5 6-9pm M \$32

NEW! Easy Thanksgiving with Chef Ravi

Start the fall season with a delicious meal in Chef Ravi's kitchen! Appetizer is a turkey mince samosa with mint chutney and a sweet and sour tamarind sauce. Entree is a sizzling tandoori turkey tikka served with a smooth, buttery makhani sauce and lemon pulao (lemon scented rice with mustard seeds and curry leaves). Dessert is a baked carrot halwa with ice cream.

\$22 materials fee due at class. (This class is hands-on.) Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

RP0502.101 Arc of Howard County Oct 17 6:30-9pm W \$29

NEW! Culinary Medicine Pop-Up!

by WellKitchen

Explore how you can take control of your health and wellness using food as medicine one plate at a time. Dr. Sardana is a lifestyle medicine physician and culinary medicine specialist who will be teaching this informative workshop that introduces you to the restorative benefits of a whole food, plant-based diet. Get hands on experience preparing a delicious, and healthy whole food, plant-based meal. **\$25 materials fee due at class.** Info:

Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

RP0509.101 Lime Kiln MS Oct 4 6-9pm Th \$32

RP0509.102 Lime Kiln MS Oct 11 6-9pm Th \$32

NEW! Best of Asian Cuisine with Chef Ravi

Join Chef Ravi in recreating the best of Asian cuisine! We start with an appetizer of veggie pakoras served with a mint chutney and a sweet and sour tamarind chutney. Entree is a Chinese Szechuan chicken with cashews served with a sticky Thai coconut rice. Dessert is a banana spring roll served with vanilla ice cream. **\$22 materials fee due at class.** (This class is part demo and part hands-on.) Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

RP0503.101 Arc of Howard County Nov 28 6:30-9pm W \$29

NEW! Taco with an Attitude with Chef Ravi

A delightful Indian twist on tacos! We are making whole wheat deep fried bread-puri and a garlic nan as our taco breads. Filling is comprised of Tandoori aloo, paneer (potatoes with cheese) and chicken malai tikka (sour cream marinated chicken). Customize your tacos with a mustard slaw, mint chutney, spice peanut pico, brown rice, shredded Indian cheese and mozzarella cheese. Dessert is a semolina halwa cake with ice cream. **\$22 materials fee due at class.** (This class is hands-on.) Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

RP0504.101 Arc of Howard County Dec 12 6:30-9pm W \$29

Craft & Fine Arts

• Programs listed by date order and are for 18 years and older.

Drawing & Painting

Watercolor Holiday Cards with Brenda Kidera

Back by popular demand! From new reference materials (provided), learn to build a painting using step-by-step instructions and demonstrations. Once complete, have the painting printed as cards in time to send out for the holidays. Elementary knowledge of watercolor necessary. **\$5 reference material fee due at first class.** Materials list provided on ActiveNet. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 5

RP0201.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 4 9:30am-12:30pm Tu \$139

NEW! Just Drawing with Zina Poliszuk

This is a foundations course with step by step demonstrations and specific visual aids and discussions with the goal of improving eye-hand coordination and visual skills. Learn to draw with right brain techniques using contour drawing, value studies and understanding of spatial relationships. Develop skills in composition with positive-negative space, balance and cropping. Great on its own or as a forerunner for beginning to intermediate watercolor painting (Section: RP0211.101). Materials list provided on ActiveNet. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 7

RP0210.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 13 10am-noon Th \$135

NEW! Oil Plein Air in the Courtyard with Brenda Kidera

With step-by-step instruction, learn how to paint "en plein air" oil paint, capturing the color and light. Demonstrations and individual instruction. Bring your own supplies. Bring a bag lunch. Class is held rain (will work indoors) or shine. Materials list provided on ActiveNet. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 2

RP0204.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 14 9:30am-4pm F, Sa \$215

NEW! Watercolor En Plein Air in the Courtyard with Brenda Kidera

With step-by-step instruction, learn how to paint "en plein air" watercolor, capturing the color and light. Demonstrations and individual instruction. Bring your own supplies. Bring a bag lunch. Rain (will work indoors) or shine. Materials list provided on ActiveNet. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 2

RP0205.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 28-29 9:30am-4pm F, Sa \$215

NEW! Watercolor: Painting Shorebirds with Brenda Kidera

This class will take the fear out of painting birds by logically and methodically breaking down the painting process. Designed for both beginners (elementary knowledge necessary) and more experienced artists! Paying close attention to detail, learn how to render the form of a shore bird convincingly, from its feathers to its feet. Learn new techniques and color theory. Demonstrations and step-by-step. **\$20 reference material fee due at first class** includes half sheet 300# Arches watercolor paper. Materials list provided on ActiveNet. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 7

RP0203.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Oct 9 9:30am-12:30pm Tu \$189

Paint and Sip with Pinot's Palette

Join us for an unforgettable evening of friends, fun, beer, wine and painting in Ellicott City! We provide everything you need for a great night out! All supplies included, drinks available for purchase. Choose from the following paintings: October 11: Solstice Blossoms or November 8: Forêt Noir et Jaune. Create a "masterpiece" to take home. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

21 yrs + Classes: 1

RP0215.101 Pinot's Palette Oct 11 7-9pm Th \$40

RP0215.102 Pinot's Palette Nov 8 7-9pm Th \$40

NEW! Beginning to Intermediate Watercolor Painting with Zina Poliszuk

Examine the color wheel and learn about color terms like value and chroma. Paint value studies, blended and graded, washes and glazes. Create simple paintings from real life observation and personal photographs. All techniques and paintings demonstrated in a user-friendly setting with general and individual demos for specific technique and design questions. (No class 11/22). Materials list provided on ActiveNet. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 7

RP0211.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Nov 1 10am-noon Th \$135

NEW! Color Theory and Mixing Paint for Artists with Brenda Kidera

Bring your medium of choice and writing materials for note taking. This class covers a multitude of fundamentals and concepts. Learn about the color wheel, how to mix paints, and different ways color can be used.

\$20 reference material fee due at first class.

Materials list provided on ActiveNet. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 3

RP0202.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Nov 27 9:30am-12:30pm Tu \$84

Jewelry

NEW! Jewelry Making for Beginners with Lorna Sampson

Learn how to make wire earrings and stringed necklaces and how to identify equipment, materials and beads. Acquire basis skills in stringing and crimping. Enjoy creating jewelry connectors and wire loops. Materials list provided on ActiveNet. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 1

RP0803.101 Ellicott Mills MS Sep 27 6-9pm Th \$30

RP0803.102 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Nov 6 6-9pm Tu \$30

NEW! Wire Work for Beginners with Lorna Sampson

Learn how to work with wire to make loops, spirals, coils and more for your jewelry projects. Discover what tools are required, how to select wire, and where to purchase your materials. After practicing the techniques, you have time to make a wire bracelet using beads. Materials list provided on ActiveNet. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 1

RP0804.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Oct 18 6-9pm Th \$30

RP0804.102 EC Colored Sch Restored Dec 11 6-9pm Tu \$30

Knitting & Crocheting

Crochet 1 with Anna Tai

Learn stitches, crochet in the square and the round, pattern reading for beginners and beyond. Learn the many aspects of wearable crochet – drape, yarn selection, shaping. Project choices are a scarf, hat, wrap, bag or tank top. Materials list provided on ActiveNet. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 3

RP0802.101 Oakland Mills HS Nov 15 7-9pm Th \$47

Knit 1 with Anna Tai

Experience the joy of knitting. Learn to cast on, the knit and purl stitches, cast off, adjust tension, and correct mistakes. Combine garter and stockinette stitch patterns and make your first scarf. (No class 11/21.) Materials list provided on ActiveNet. Info: Danielle Bassett 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 3

RP0801.101 Oakland Mills HS Nov 14 7-9pm W \$47

Photography

Basic Digital Photography with John Guion

Class is designed for you to become better versed in basic concepts. Learn the basic features of your digital camera, whether yours is a compact digital camera, an interchangeable lens compact camera or a single lens reflex camera. The class covers features common to all those basic camera designs (e.g., image size settings, image quality controls, how and when to change them, and using the camera's creative modes in addition to the fully automatic setting). The course discusses downloading photos to a computer and accessories you may want to consider such as a tripod or monopod or lens filter. Bring your camera and manual to class. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

Classes: 6

RP0206.101 River Hill HS Sep 26 7-9pm W \$100

NEW! Exploring Ellicott City with Michael Alloy
 Whatever the weather, explore the power of color and shapes, textures and the face of nature in our landscapes as we walk and shoot through our winter choice of parks or neighborhoods. Learn how to photograph landscapes, cityscapes, landmarks and buildings. Find out how light affects your shots and how to take correctly exposed shots. Apply exposure compensation to adjust for backlighting and take advantage of silhouettes. Explore close-ups and panoramas at three new locations and then review our shots to discover more opportunities. Bring your digital camera and your enthusiasm. Info: Danielle Bassett, 410-313-4634 or dbassett@howardcountymd.gov.

EC Colored Sch Restored Classes: 4

RP0208.101 Oct 6 9:30-11:30am Sa \$56

Dance

• Programs listed in alphabetical order.

Ballroom

Ballroom Dance Basics with Jim & Lucy

This beginner social dance class introduces you to two swing styles, as well as a sampling of classic foxtrot steps. Learn to step in sync with big band songs, as well as oldies, Motown, and rock-n-roll. While you learn steps, develop your lead or follow skills so important for successful partnering on a dance floor. After completing the class, we hope you feel confident saying "yes" to invitations to dance at weddings, office parties, and other social events. Singles as well as couples welcome; do not wear sneakers. Fee is per person. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP1107.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 26 8:25-9:25pm W \$75

Intro to Social Ballroom Dance with Jim & Lucy

This "Social Dance Survival" class equips you with dance routines adaptable to a variety of dance musical styles commonly played at weddings and parties, including smooth jazz, foxtrot, slower big band, romantic songs, and traditional waltz. In the last two weeks, enjoy a two-week sampling of swing dance steps. We look forward to planting in you the desire and the confidence to get out of your seats and head to the dance floor at parties, weddings, or anywhere you hear dance music playing! Singles as well as couples welcome; do not wear sneakers. Fee is per person. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP1106.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 26 7:10-8:10pm W \$75

Cha Cha and Swing with Jim and Lucy

This popular class provides a sampling of the unique character of two rhythm dances: cha cha and swing. The first four weeks focus on easy-to-learn cha cha, and the last four weeks on 8-count swing. Master the foundational steps of each dance style, understand lead and follow, and walk away from class with small routines suitable for any dance floor. Each class provides technique drills as well as small routines for practicing at home captured in one page handouts. Couples only; do not wear sneakers. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP1104.101 Atholton ES Sep 28 8:30-9:30pm F \$149

Waltz and Foxtrot with Jim and Lucy

This class in two lovely, smooth dances is best suited for those who have taken classes before in social partner dancing, and have experience with leading and following basic dance steps. In the first week, review basic waltz footwork, then expand your repertoire in weeks two to four. On the fifth night, review basic patterns and "slow quick quick rhythm" in foxtrot, then master small memorable routines during the last three weeks.

Classes emphasize learning to execute smooth leads and follows. Couples only; do not wear sneakers. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP1105.101 Atholton ES Sep 28 7:15-8:15pm F \$149

Dance Movement

Contemporary Modern Dance for Beginners

Led by Jessica McElvaney, dance and have fun in this class for adults of all levels. Begin with a warm-up that focuses on alignment, strength, and flexibility and then try a variety of dance steps that will get you moving across the floor. Finish the class by learning a short piece of choreography each week. This class combines modern dance and ballet techniques to provide participants with an enjoyable introduction to dancing. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

16 yrs + Classes: 8

RP1128.101 Misako Ballet Studio Sep 17 7:15-8:15pm M \$80

RP1128.102 Misako Beats Sep 18 7-8pm Tu \$80

Hip Hop with CJ Cunningham

Get ready to work your body in ways you never imagined! This class uses exciting hip-hop routines to keep you moving and grooving. Learn to isolate your movements and hit it hard in easy to follow dances. Whether you are a beginner dancer or have years of experience, this class works you out and refines your swagger. Wear comfortable clothes and tennis shoes; bring a towel and water bottle. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 11

RP1112.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 18 8-9pm Tu \$100

Beginning Adult Ballet

This class teaches basic ballet movements to help build strength, flexibility, and grace. Learn in an open environment where everyone can learn at their own pace. Leotard and tights recommended, but form fitting comfortable clothing is also allowed. Wear ballet shoes and bring a water bottle.

Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 11

RP1113.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 18 7-8pm Tu \$100

Adult Beginner Ballet

Adults with little or no previous ballet training, learn basic ballet exercises with an emphasis on body alignment and musicality while developing a strong core. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Misako Ballet Studio Classes: 8

RP1129.101 With Cecilia Ituarte Sep 20 7:30-8:30pm Th \$78

18 yrs + Misako Beats Classes: 8

RP1129.102 With Misako Aoki Sep 20 7:30-8:30pm Th \$78

International

Belly Dancing for Beginners by Laury Jackson

This is an introduction to Classical Middle Eastern Dance. Learn fundamental steps and technique including shimmies, hip articulation and isolations. Cultural relevance and elements of folklore and Near Eastern music are also studied. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

16 yrs + Classes: 8

RP1130.101 Misako Beats Sep 19 7:30-8:30pm W \$78

RP1130.102 Misako Beats Sep 22 10-11am Sa \$78



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Intermediate Blacksmithing picks up where Intro to Blacksmithing ended. Explore the art of shaping metal.

Bollywood Dance with Jaya Mathur

Trained in Indian Classical Dance, Jaya Mathur introduces you to this energetic dance style that originated in Indian films. Techniques include hand, feet and body movements and an overall sense of rhythm. Wear comfortable clothing and shoes and bring a bottle of water. Get ready for a great workout while learning an art form! Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehlher@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 6

RP1108.101 Harper's Choice MS Sep 25 7:30-8:30pm Tu \$65

NEW! Bhangra Dance with Smita Khatri

Awaken the joy in your heart with this energetic and fun dance form, set to the soul-stirring rhythms of India. Bhangra is a North Indian folk dance and often appears in Bollywood films. Learn a choreographed piece, while focusing on having fun. Perfection not required. Beginners are welcome. Class will also include free dance time. Please wear comfortable clothing; shoes optional. Recommend eating a light dinner before attending class. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehlher@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP1140.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 27 7:45-8:45pm Th \$75

Line Dancing

Beginning Line Dance with Mike and Annette Dey

Want to exercise your body and your brain? Line dance is a low-impact form of aerobic exercise that is done by people of all ages. If you know your left from your right and can count to four, then you too can enjoy the benefits of dance. Burn calories while having fun? Unheard of - until now. Come dance with us. Join our line dance class. We welcome dancers of all ages and experience levels. Learn new dances each week and review those previously taught. Enjoy the latest dances sweeping the nation, as well as, old stand-bys that have stood the test of time. A variety of music will be used, including country, jazz, Latin, pop, and rock. By the end of the session you will have many fabulous, fun dances in your dance bag! Next stop - *America's Got Talent!* 5-6-7-8! Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehlher@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP1118.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 25 7:15-8:15pm Tu \$75

Intermediate Line Dance with Mike and Annette Dey

Ever wonder why the people on the dance floor are smiling? Because they are having fun! The Improver/Intermediate Line Dance course provides the participant the opportunity to challenge their line dancing skills while adding new dances to their repertoire. Features the latest dances choreographed by world class dance instructors like Rachel McEneny, Scott Blevins, Pedro Machado and Jamie Marshall as well as dances choreographed by dance instructors from the local area. Dances taught will include dances done nationally and internationally, as well as, a sampling of dances done in the local clubs from Frederick, Baltimore and Northern Virginia. Get ready for a great workout and a fun time as you enjoy meeting new friends who share your love of dance. 5-6-7-8! Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehlher@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP1119.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 25 8:30-9:30pm Tu \$75

Lifelong Learning

Bridge

Beginning Bridge with Dennis Serpico

Beginners, come learn the fundamentals of bridge. Learn bridge terminology, bidding and response basics based on the Standard American System, pre-emptive and slam bids, and declarer and defensive approaches. All class discussion is supported by play of example hands; additional material is provided for home study. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehlher@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP3421.101 Wilde Lake HS Sep 17 6:30-9pm M \$75

Bridge II with Dennis Serpico

This course is geared to players with a fundamental understanding of bridge who are interested in enhancing their play. The course begins with a brief review of the Standard American System followed by material supporting the next level of play. Several of the commonly used bidding conventions and aids are discussed. Improved declarer and defensive strategies are explained. All class discussion is supported by play of example hands; additional material is provided for home study. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehlher@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP3422.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 18 6:30-9pm Tu \$75

Blacksmithing

NEW! Intermediate Blacksmithing

Have you taken the Intro to Blacksmithing course and want more time at the forge? Go more in depth exploring the art of shaping metal using heat and force. Watch demonstrations by one of the few local master blacksmiths and make your own iron-forged tool using traditional methods. Strike while the iron is hot; you won't want to miss this chance to forge your own piece of history! Info: Emily Mosher, 410-313-0419 or emosher@howardcountymd.gov.

16 yrs + Living Farm Heritage Museum Classes: 2

RP9989.101 Sep 8 9am-3pm Sa,Su \$160

RP9989.102 Sep 29 9am-3pm Sa,Su \$160

Do it Yourself

Bike Maintenance with Larry Black

Learn everything you need to know about maintaining and repairing your bike. Learn about on-the-road fixes, overhauls, wheel building, and how to negotiate the best price for repairs. Tools and some practice bikes are provided; bring your own bike to get hands-on experience.

Optional manual is \$25 at class. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 4

RP3409.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 12 7-9pm W \$99

RP3409.102 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Oct 17 7-9pm W \$99

Communication

Networking 101 with School of Protocol

Want to be more comfortable at social and work gatherings? Learn how to prepare for an event, enter and exit conversations, and discuss what you can and cannot talk about. Learn how to create a first and lasting impression through proper handshakes, eye contact, proper introductions, nonverbal conversation, and more. This course is important for anyone who attends holiday gatherings, businesses gatherings, conferences, parties and school or community events. In two short hours, feel at ease and more confident. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 1

RP3412.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Nov 7 7-9pm W \$55

Computer Technology

Personal Security: You & Your PC with Constance Lowe

Security starts and stops with you. Increase your awareness and learn basic prevention and protection steps while using your laptop, tablet, and smartphone. Gain knowledge about common security measures like learning to create strong passwords and remember them. This class demonstrates computer security best practices to follow. Become informed about unsafe practices your kids may be doing on the internet. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 3

RP3415.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Oct 2 7-8pm Tu \$68

Finance

Financial Fitness for Women with Fran Makino

This is a basic, personal finance class. Learn about cash, stocks, bonds, IRAs, and how 401Ks/403Bs/TSPs work and how best to invest them. Come discuss basic types of insurances and what is needed. Work on investment strategies. Questions are welcomed. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 3

RP3410.101 River Hill HS Oct 10 7-9pm W \$45

Language

Hablemos Español with Cecilia Redmond

Have fun communicating with classmates only in Spanish in this immersion, five-week session. This is not a beginner class. Enjoy a different topic of conversation each night. A theme and vocabulary list is provided. Pronunciation and grammatical errors are addressed by native speaker instructor.

Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 5

RP3403.101 Ellicott Mills MS Oct 2 7-8pm Tu \$55

Everyday Spanish I with Cecilia Redmond

Learn grammar foundations and practice in an enjoyable way. Build confidence as you learn vocabulary on familiar topics. Put it all together and you're ready for easy conversation starters. Native speaking instructor shares strategies and cultural insights. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 6

RP3405.101 Ellicott Mills MS Oct 4 7-8:30pm Th \$65

Paranormal Investigations

• Programs listed by date order.

• Info: 410-313-0200.

Meet the Friendly Ghosts of Belmont Manor

Belmont Manor is the home to a number of benign ghosts who have not crossed over. This talk will go over the experiences and findings from the Inspired Ghost Tracking team and others as they discuss results from their investigations at Belmont Manor.

18 yrs + Precursor to Belmont Investigation & Ghost Tour Classes: 1

RP9908.101 Belmont Oct 23 7:30-9pm Tu \$15

Belmont Investigation & Ghost Tour

Join the Inspired Ghost Tracking team as they guide you on a tour of the Manor, grounds, and cemetery (weather permitting). Participate in an actual paranormal investigation and visit areas where paranormal activity has been suspected. Investigators from IGT will use EMFs, sound recorders, cameras, and temperature sensors to search for paranormal activity. Bring your own equipment and flashlights to investigate, and dress for the weather.

18 yrs + Follows Meet the Friendly Ghosts of Belmont Manor Classes: 1

RP9901.101 Belmont Nov 2 7:30-10:30pm F \$25

How Mediumship Works and the Spirit Treasure

Are you interested in how mediumship works and how to recognize signs from those that have passed? This talk will discuss how medium Rob Gutro was led on a journey that proves a man's spirit was with each member of his family after his death and solves the mystery of his passing.

18 yrs +

RP9914.101 Belmont Nov 13 7:30-9pm Tu \$15

Introduction to Ghost Investigating

What is the difference between a ghost and a spirit? This lecture explores that complex question and tries to explain why some spirits stay behind and are unable to move on, or how ghosts can cross over into spirits. Discover how these entities are detected using both science and technology.

18 yrs + Classes: 1

RP9902.101 Belmont Dec 11 7:30-9pm Tu \$15

Pet Instruction

Dog Obedience

Turn Rover into a well-behaved companion. Dog must be older than four months old with current shots. Instructor advises about leash and collar. Please bring dog on a 6-foot leash, no retractable leashes allowed. Bring plastic bag and scoop. Class appropriate for any size dog. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + With Mariann Hein Classes: 6

RP3407.101 Dunloggin MS Sep 13 6:30-7:30pm Th \$69

18 yrs + With Darryll Ann Buschling Classes: 6

RP3407.102 Schooley Mill Pk Sep 17 6:30-7:30pm M \$69

Dog Park Manners with Darryll Ann Buschling

Having trouble at the dog park? Is your dog nervous, aggressive, or does not listen when it's time to go? This is a great class for socializing and becoming acquainted with the dog park. We start with basic dog obedience and work up to socializing and experiencing the dog park. Please bring a 6-foot leash; no retractable leashes allowed. Bring plastic bag and scoop. Class appropriate for any size dog. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 1

RP3408.101 Worthington Pk Sep 15 11am-1pm Sa \$25

RP3408.102 Worthington Pk Oct 13 11am-1pm Sa \$25

Travel & Writing

How to Travel Inexpensively with Ken Greco

Learn secret tips from an experienced traveler. Ken Greco has traveled the world professionally and for pleasure for the past 45 years. Discover how to get the most of your travel money including secrets on hotels, rental cars, cruises, airline and rail travel. The course covers travel in the USA, Caribbean, and Europe, advantages and disadvantages of escorted tours, self-planned trips, and virtual planning. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 2

RP3419.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 26 7-9pm W \$75

Wellness

Intro to Ayurveda with Lenny Bernstein

During this five-week course, you're challenged to uncover your unique physical and mental constitution and learn how to use the tools of this ancient wisdom. As a guide to discovering your true self, Ayurveda is the Sanskrit word that means the Science of Life. Ayurveda was derived from the Vedic scriptures of India which seek to harmonize the body, mind, and spirit in order for the individual to more fully know their true nature. Through the study of the principles of Ayurveda, understand the cause and effect relationship of consciousness and matter. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 5

RP3402.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Oct 3 7-8:15pm W \$75

Music & Theater Arts

• Programs listed in alphabetical order.

Music

Adult Keyboarding with

Olenka School of Music (OSM)

OSM invites adults to learn to play melody and accompaniment for popular songs on keyboards. Designed for beginners interested in fun basic keyboarding techniques as well as an introduction to reading and writing music. This course is an invaluable first step to learning to play an instrument. No previous music experience necessary. **\$42 materials fee per student due first day of class.** (No class 11/21, 11/23.) Info: Karen Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

16 yrs + Classes: 5

RP3428.101 OSM Columbia Sep 12 7:15-8:15pm W \$155

RP3428.102 OSM Ellicott City Sep 14 7:30-8:30pm F \$155

RP3428.103 OSM Columbia Nov 7 7:15-8:15pm W \$155

RP3428.104 OSM Ellicott City Nov 9 7:30-8:30pm F \$155

Adult Guitar Studio with

Olenka School of Music (OSM)

Bring your electric or acoustic guitar and play popular songs. Learn valuable warm-ups and finger exercises, scales and how to apply basic chords to any song, in any style of music. No previous music experience necessary. Students must bring their own guitar. **\$30 materials fee per student due first day of class.** Info: Karen Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

16 yrs + Classes: 5

RP3427.101 OSM Columbia Sep 17 7:30-8:30pm M \$130

RP3427.102 OSM Columbia Nov 12 7:30-8:30pm M \$130

Adult Vocal Harmony with

Olenka School of Music (OSM)

OSM invites adults to join their voices in song. Sing familiar songs, learn basic harmony and improve vocal technique... all while having fun, releasing stress and making new friends. No previous music experience necessary.

\$30 materials fee per student due first day of class. (No class 11/23.)

Info: Karen Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

16 yrs + Classes: 5

RP3429.101 OSM Columbia Sep 17 7:30-8:30pm M \$130

RP3429.102 OSM Ellicott City Sep 14 6:30-7:30pm F \$130

RP3429.103 OSM Columbia Nov 12 7:30-8:30pm M \$130

RP3429.104 OSM Ellicott City Nov 9 6:30-7:30pm F \$130

Art of Hand Drumming with Orlando Cotto

Both drumming beginners and serious enthusiasts are welcome! Led by professional percussionist Orlando Cotto, (re)learn the basics of drumming, develop your internal timing, and learn common folk rhythms from Cuba, Puerto Rico and West Africa. Learn techniques and skills such as drum tuning and sound development. You're encouraged to bring your own drums, though conga drums can be rented from the instructor for a one-time fee of \$75.

Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 4

RP3435.101 Wilde Lake HS Oct 4 7-8pm Th \$150

Guitar with Art Spilkia

Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

Beginning Guitar with Art Spilkia

Learn chords and strums to accompany classic rock and folk-rock songs. Start learning how to play rock and roll instrumentals. Bring a six-string acoustic or electric guitar.

18 yrs + Classes: 5

RP0225.101 Oakland Mills HS Oct 2 7-8pm Tu \$65

Intermediate Guitar with Art Spilkia

Now that you have a basic knowledge of chords, rhythms, and fret board notes, learn more advanced chords, rhythms, and guitar instrumentals. Bring a six-string acoustic or electric guitar.

18 yrs + Classes: 5

RP0226.101 Oakland Mills HS Oct 2 8-9pm Tu \$65

NEW! Homegrown Rhythm with Vinnie Adams

Discover and express your inner rhythms and creative voice through use of a variety of percussion and hand drumming. The goal of this unique class is to encourage and enable people to discover and express their inner rhythms, and their individual creative voice, looking right in their own home to find ways to express that rhythm. Participate, learn, enjoy, and apply basic skills and techniques in hand drumming, percussion instruments, exotic sounds, media presentations, and possible appearances by special guest artists.

Students will come away with knowledge of the concept of making rhythmic music at home and growing toward taking their desire to play to the next level of learning: actual instruments. Participants are encouraged to bring items from home that have rhythmic and tonal value and basic instruments will be available in class for demonstration. At the end of the course, student will receive a Course Completion Certificate and a parting gift to help them continue their exploration in music. **\$45 materials fee due at first class.**

Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP3434.101 Ellicott Mills MS Sep 24 7-9pm M \$180



Orlando Cotto loves teaching the art of hand drumming. Come sign up and see how he has his students smiling.

Intro to the Ukulele with Thomas Davey

Have you ever wanted to play an instrument but was afraid it was too hard? It's never too late and the ukulele is one of easiest instruments to learn! Learn the basic techniques and some easy songs from Hawaiian tunes to folk and rock songs. It is also one of the most affordable instruments, so bring your own Ukulele to class and a 3-ring binder. Instruments on sale: www.musicarts.com. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP0228.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 26 7-8:30pm W \$95

Piano I

Learn to play the piano in this introductory class. Play a variety of musical styles to gain confidence and develop musical skills. Learn and practice on your own keyboard. (Must have access to a keyboard to practice on outside class.) Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 9

RP0230.101 River Hill HS Sep 22 1-2pm Sa \$105

Theater

Broadway Style Musical Theater Dance

Led by instructor Lisa Yanguas, get ready to get fit, have fun, learn some moves, and dance to the best of Broadway. Class uses both traditional and new musical theater numbers and routines. Use a variety of songs and easy-to-follow dance steps that both delight and challenge new and long-time fans of Broadway-style productions. New and experienced welcome. Class combines many styles, such as tap, hip hop, jazz and others. Wear comfortable clothes and dance or tennis shoes. Bring a towel and water bottle. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 6

RP3426.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 25 6:30-7:30pm Tu \$75



Learn how to play the guitar or bass this year!

Introduction to Improv Comedy

A veteran improviser from BIG (Baltimore's premiere improv comedy theater for the last 14 years) introduces beginning concepts and exercises that form the foundation to more advanced improvisation training. Create something hilarious with nothing more than a great attitude. Explore the fundamental principles of improvisation through exercises in agreement, commitment, spontaneity, and listening. No prior performance or improv experience necessary. Students 16-17 yrs must have parental permission. Info: Karen Bradley Ehler, 410-313-4635 or kehl@howardcountymd.gov.

16 yrs + Classes: 1

RP3437.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 30 6:30-8:30pm Su \$40

Adults

SATURDAY NIGHT UNALIVE

Halloween-Inspired Laughter & Oddities You Won't Soon Forget!

October 27 • 7-9:30pm • 21 yrs+

Robinson Nature Center

- Close encounters with mythological creatures
- Improv comedy by Baltimore Improv Group
- Roving live animal presentations
- Stroll the forest at night in search of Halloween goodies
- Lite fare and adult beverages available for purchase

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Registration and Information: 410-313-0400
\$29 pre-sale, \$35 after October 20

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ENCORE

PROGRAMS

Reignite the excitement of years past and explore the great new offerings.

Active Adults (55 yrs +) Classes & Activities

- Below is in alphabetical order.
- If you would like this Guide in a larger font, contact Susan Potts, 410-313-4628.
- See additional activities in the Adults (18 yrs +) section.

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Aquatics

Open Swim

Workout on your own or just relax in the warm water of a therapeutic pool. Exercise accessories available for use. Info: Susan Potts, 410-313-4628 or spotts@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 6

RP3518.101 Cedar Lane School Sep 29 10:30am-noon Sa \$37

Therapeutic Water Exercise

Get a great workout without going to the gym! Enjoy the warm water of a therapeutic pool while engaging in low-impact exercise. Work at your own pace in group instruction. Aquatic fitness instructor assists with exercises and provides instruction. (No class 9/19.) Info: Susan Potts, 410-313-4628 or spotts@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 8

RP3519.101 Cedar Lane School Sep 17 6-7pm M \$78

RP3519.102 Cedar Lane School Sep 12 6-7pm W \$78

Therapeutic Aqua Dancercise

This is not your ordinary synchronized dancing in the water! Combine upbeat music with the added resistance of water and you get an incredible workout. Enjoy the warm water of a therapeutic pool while engaging in cardio, dance-based movements that are fun and easy to follow. Aquatic fitness instructor assists with exercises and provides instruction. Info: Susan Potts, 410-313-4628 or spotts@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 8

RP3520.101 Cedar Lane School Sep 11 6-7pm Tu \$75

NEW! Encore Explorations

These one-day workshops/mini-sessions are designed to let you try something new without committing to a full class session. Come test drive some of our newest programs. Try one or try them all! Info: Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311 or rucoleman@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Drawing & Painting/ Zina

RP3511.101 Kiwanis-Wallas Hall Aug 27 10am-noon M \$20

55 yrs + Digital Photography Basics

RP3511.102 Belmont Sep 4 9:30-11:30am Tu \$20

55 yrs + Cardio Dance & Tone

RP3511.103 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 5 2:30-3:30pm W \$10

55 yrs + Fused Glass

RP3511.104 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 5 6:30-9pm W \$25

55 yrs + Pilates

RP3511.105 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 8 8:30-9:30am Sa \$10

55 yrs + Broadway Dance

RP3511.106 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Sep 21 9:30-10:30am F \$10

55 yrs + Zentangles

RP3511.107 Elkridge 50+ Center Oct 2 10-11am Tu \$10

Crafts & Fine Arts

NEW! "Glass for the Holidays" Workshop

Join glass artist, Tara Holl, as she guides you through fusing glass to make a memorable decoration. Projects could include jewelry, ornaments and more! Whether you are experienced in working with glass or would like to try it for the first time, you are welcome to join us! **\$30 materials fee due at first class.** Info: Curtis Gore, 410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 1

RP3531.101 Gary J Art hur Comm Ctr Dec 15 9:30am-noon Sa \$30

NEW! All Things Glass 1

Come learn an assortment of techniques: fusing, slumping, layering, and painting glass. Instructor Tara S. Holl provides all materials and fires all projects. Tara has worked in the field of glass for over 30 years and has church windows, commercial, and private glass art installations across the United States. **\$75 materials fee due at first class.** Beginners are welcome! Info: Curtis Gore, 410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + **10% off two or more people** Classes: 6

RP3523.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 12 7-9pm W \$89

Artful Journaling Club

Express yourself in an art journal! In this weekly club, create journal pages that combine creative writing and decorative art using a variety of media. No art experience necessary. Participants are invited to suggest and lead activities on a voluntary basis. Supplies discussed at first meeting. This is a participant-run club; no instructors present. (No class 11/22.) Info: Curtis Gore, 410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 12

RP0305.101 Bain 50+ Ctr Sep 6 9:30am-noon Th \$20

NEW! Basic Zentangle Workshop with Arlene Mindus, CZT

Explore this popular art form that is an easy-to-learn and relaxing method of drawing structured patterns. Anyone who thinks he/she is a "non-artist" can learn! Certified Zentangle teacher Arlene Mindus will guide you in teaching techniques and creating hand-drawn patterns, one stroke at a time. The Zentangle Method develops focus and creativity, hand-eye coordination, manual dexterity, following step-by-step directions, and problem-solving techniques. A mini Zentangle box may be purchased for \$5. Info: Curtis Gore, 410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 4

RP0308.101 Elkridge 50+ Ctr Sep 4 10-noon Tu \$32

RP0308.102 Elkridge 50+ Ctr Oct 9 10-noon Tu \$32

NEW! Creating Visual Stories with Mixed Media

Learn how to use every day and found objects, types of paint, paper, fiber, and other materials to create a wall-mounted piece and one 3-dimensional piece. If time permits, create a third piece of your choice. We focus on telling a visual story about our lives. Learn assorted painting techniques to use with the varied materials. Instructor provides some materials and make recommendations for materials to bring. **\$35 materials fee per student due at first class.** Info: Curtis Gore, 410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + **10% off two or more people** Classes: 6

RP3525.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 20 10am-noon Th \$89

RP3525.102 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 17 7-9pm M \$89

RP3525.103 Elkridge 50+ Ctr Sep 18 7-9pm Tu \$89

Drawing & Painting with Zina

Find your inner-artist in this user-friendly setting! No previous skill necessary. Drawing and painting are teachable techniques. Beginning students will start with a simple foundations program with demonstrations and assignments on basic drawing, design and color theory leading to readiness to create simple paintings by the tenth class. Advanced students will be motivated by demonstrations, slide presentations, and projects designed to inspire. Create original work from real life and continue your personal style using your original photos with group and one-on-one demos and gentle teacher critiques. Info: Curtis Gore, 410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 14

RP0302.101 Kiwanis-Wallas Hall Sep 10 10am-noon M \$120

RP0302.102 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 10 1:15-3:15pm M \$120

NEW! Stroll and Paint Sep 14 Page 28

Watercolor Basics Very Beginner with Carol Zika

This mini-course has been created as a prerequisite for Watercolor with Carol Zika. Learn the basic techniques of painting with transparent watercolors. Brush calisthenics, washes, glazing, color mixing, plus multiple tricks of the trade are covered. Appropriate for self-taught or beginners. Enjoy an introduction sampler. Recommended supplies discussed at the first class and are available through the instructor. **\$10 materials fee due at the first class.** Info: Curtis Gore, 410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 4

RP0307.101 Bain 50+ Ctr Sep 6 1-3:30pm Th \$40

Watercolors with Carol Zika

A painting class for students who have completed Watercolor Basics for the Very Beginner and those with previous watercolor experience. Instructor provides guided lessons, building technique and confidence. Bring materials to the first class. (No class 11/19, 11/23.) Info: Curtis Gore, 410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 12

RP0303.101 E. Columbia 50+ Ctr Sep 7 1-3:30pm F \$120

You Can Draw & Paint with Carol Zika

Let your artistic expression soar in this congenial, fun and supportive open studio atmosphere. Bring watercolors, acrylics, oils, pastels or other materials. Explore your creative potential. Instructor provides direction/instruction in drawing and painting for beginners and experienced dabblers. Bring your own or discuss materials (purchased separately) at the first class. (No class 10/19, 11/23.) Info: Curtis Gore, 410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 12

RP0304.101 E. Columbia 50+ Ctr Sep 7 9:15-11:45am F \$120



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Learn the rumba and cha-cha while having fun and getting a great workout.

Photography

NEW! Digital Photography 101

With the quality of today's digital camera technology, anybody can take great pictures! Come learn how, as we focus on the fundamentals. We'll learn the basic elements and techniques that help produce compelling photos, and then we'll apply those concepts with hands-on assignments. Digital camera required (DSLR or point-and-shoot with manual controls). (No class 9/25, 10/2.) Info: Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311 or rucoleman@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + 10% off two or more people Classes: 6

RP3521.101 Belmont Sep 11 9:30-11:30am Tu \$90

NEW! Shooting with a Smartphone

"The best camera is the one you have with you" is a popular saying in photography communities, and it certainly applies to smartphones. Smartphone cameras can't always compete with higher-end digital cameras, but they're a whole lot more portable! This class will teach some of the same concepts as Digital Photography 101, but lessons will be focused more on how they apply to getting great smartphone snaps. Info: Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311 or rucoleman@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + 10% off two or more people Classes: 4

RP3522.101 Belmont Oct 9 1-3pm Tu \$69

RP3522.102 Ellicott City 50+ Ctr Oct 4 7-9pm Th \$69

Dance

NEW! Beginner Ballet for Active Adults

This class teaches basic ballet movements to help build strength, flexibility, and grace. Class begins at the ballet barre and progresses to center teaching basic terminology and technique. Learn in an open environment with modifications offered when necessary. Leotard and tights recommended, but form fitting comfortable clothing is also allowed. Please have long hair pulled back. Wear ballet shoes and bring a water bottle. (No class 11/22). Info: Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311 or rucoleman@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 10

RP3509.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 20 10:15-11:15am Th \$105

NEW! Dance on Broadway – or Feel Like You Can!

5, 6, 7, 8! If Dancing on Broadway has been on your bucket list, come join this class of like-minded active adults for Broadway dance for fun and fitness. The instructor leads you through dance routine to current and long-time favorite Broadway show stoppers. Learn musical theater choreography and get a fitness workout at the same time. Appropriate for all levels. Wear comfortable clothes in which you can move and dance or athletic shoes. Bring water and a towel. Info: Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311 or rucoleman@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + 10% off two or more people Classes: 6

RP3527.101 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Sep 28 9:30-10:30am F \$75

NEW! Rumba & Cha-Cha

Learning to rumba and cha-cha can help you feel confident on social and ballroom dance floors. These Latin dances are not danced by a step, but with a Cuban motion and all body awareness. You'll also get to learn beginning Latin round dancing. (No class 11/22.) Info: Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311 or rucoleman@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 6

RP3528.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 13 7:30-9pm Th \$89

RP3528.102 N Laurel Comm Ctr Oct 25 7:30-9pm Th \$89

Senior Tap Classics

Ever dream of dancing like Ginger Rogers or Fred Astaire? It's never too late to start! This beginning-level tap class progresses slowly and is designed for adults. Wear comfortable clothing, grab some tap shoes and join us! Info: Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311 or rucoleman@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 11

RP3504.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 19 10:15-11:15am W \$115

NEW! Social Square Dancing

You can dance without worrying if you're on the wrong foot. Grab your partner and join our accredited square dance caller to show off your best do-si-do! Dancers of all levels are welcome. Instruction will be provided for those who are new to square dancing. Partners are not required, we can pair you up when you arrive! Info: Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311 or rucoleman@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + 10% off two or more people Classes: 6

RP3510.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 11 7:30-9pm Tu \$89

RP3510.102 N Laurel Comm Ctr Oct 23 7:30-9pm Tu \$89

Drop-in Programs

- For more info, contact Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311.
- Listed in alphabetical order.

Bunco

It's a "roll of the dice" game. Bunco is gaining popularity and now you can get in on the fun! Join us for an hour of this exciting dice game. No experience necessary. No preregistration required.

55 yrs + Bain 50+ Ctr 10:30-11:30am Last Friday of the month Free

Drop-In Social Bridge

Stop by for some social bridge. Beginners welcome! Coffee, tea and light refreshments available. We gladly accept donations to the snack fund.

55 yrs + Kiwanis-Wallas Hall 9am-noon W Free

Duplicate Bridge

Enjoy a few hours of drop-in duplicate bridge. Bring a bag lunch; coffee, tea and light refreshments available. We accept donations to the snack fund.

55 yrs + Kiwanis-Wallas Hall Noon-3:30pm W Free

55 yrs + Kiwanis-Wallas Hall 9:15am-12:45pm F Free

Encore Recreation Volunteer Open House

Are you looking for a way to give back to your community? Join us for an informational open house to learn more about our Encore Recreation Volunteer program. Encore volunteers participate in trainings, have opportunities to socialize with other volunteers and share your time and/or skills with others in a Recreation & Parks program. Light refreshments provided. Please RSVP to Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311 or rucoleman@howardcountymd.gov.

All ages N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 19 1:30-2:30pm W Free
All ages Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Oct 24 1:30-2:30pm W Free

Mahjong

55 yrs + Kiwanis-Wallas Hall 1-3:30pm W Free

Marathon Bridge

55 yrs + Kiwanis-Wallas Hall 1-3:30pm W Free

Pinochle

55 yrs + Kiwanis-Wallas Hall 9:30am-3:30pm F Free

Toss Across

Who says close only counts in horseshoes? In Toss Across, it definitely counts! Try the latest backyard and tailgating craze. Have fun and get a little exercise too. Meet in the Bain 50+ Center lobby. No preregistration required.

55 yrs + Bain 50+ Ctr 10:30-11:30am F Free

Trivia Time

Come show us what you know during this entertaining hour of group trivia! Fire up those brain cells while you help your team compete. Meet in the lobby. No preregistration required

55 yrs + Bain 50+ Ctr 9:30-10:30am Last Friday of each month Free

Wii Bowling Club

Why let the kids have all the fun? Bowl in a virtual alley without leaving the building. You improve hand-eye coordination and get some exercise while competing against your peers.

55 yrs + ElkrIDGE 50+ Ctr 10-11am W Free
55 yrs + Bain 50+ Ctr 9:30-10:30am Th Free
55 yrs + Bain 50+ Ctr 10:30-11:30am Th Free

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Knitting & Crocheting

Community Knitting & Crocheting Group *Page 12*

Lifelong Learning

Beginning Bridge II

Follow-on to Bridge Basics. Topics include brief review of basics followed by light openings, weak and pre-emptive openings, transfers, slam bidding and hand play. All material is supported by hand play during class. Additional examples and practice hands, accompanied by hand analysis, is provided for home study. Completion of the course supports social and beginning duplicate play and provides the foundation for more advanced learning and play. Info: Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311 or rucoleman@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 4

RP3526.101 Kiwanis-Wallas Hall Oct 24 9-11:30am W \$54

To register, visit
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or call 410-313-7275.



Our knitting club is a wonderful place to meet others wanting to create caps, blankets and scarves for those in need.

Bridge Basics

Bridge is an enjoyable card game! Bridge challenges your mind while helping to make new friends. We are offering a 4-week class for people who have never played bridge before and for those who would like a refresher. Info: Ruth Coleman, 410-313-7311 or rucoleman@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Classes: 4
RP3507.101 Kiwanis-Wallas Hall Sep 26 9:30-11:30am W \$43

NEW! Encore Adventures

This is your opportunity to dabble in a variety of outdoor skills! You can try your hand at paddling in a kayak or paddle boat. Learn the basics of archery and elements of shooting. Go fishing in Centennial Lake while learning to rig a pole, tie knots and identify fish. Join us for a bird hike to observe local birds in their natural habitats. All equipment will be provided. Detailed information will be emailed. Sign up for all four adventures to take advantage of the discounted price! Info: Dawn Thomas, 410-313-1754, or dthomas@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + 10% off two or more people Classes: 1

RP9171.102	Paddling	Centennial Pk	Aug 30	6:30-8pm	Th	\$25
RP9171.103	Archery	Centennial Pk	Sep 6	6:30-8pm	Th	\$25
RP9171.104	Fishing	Centennial Pk	Sep 13	6:30-8pm	Th	\$25
RP9171.105	Bird Hike	Centennial Pk	Sep 20	6:30-8pm	Th	\$25

55 yrs + 10% off two or more people Classes: 4

RP9171.101 Centennial Pk 6:30-8pm Th \$93

NEW! Fundamentals of Modern Table Tennis with Jeff Smart

Through the lessons of ITTF Level 2 Certified Coach Jeff Smart, beginner students learn the proper techniques to execute the forehand (FH) and backhand (BH) topspin drive, FH&BH underspin push, basic footwork, and topspin. Also work on underspin, sidespin serves and how to return each one. (No class 11/22.) Info: Curtis Gore, 410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov.

55 yrs + Beginner Howard County Table Tennis Center Classes: 10

RP3530.101	Beginner	Sep 27	10:30am-noon	Th	\$160
RP3530.102	Intermediate	Sep 13	1-2:30pm	Th	\$160

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Body Conditioning with Cyndi Kummerlowe includes cardio and 2-5 lb. hand weights for a great workout.

Fitness

- Classes are for 18 years and up.
- Participants 12-17 years old may register, but must be accompanied by a participating parent/guardian.
- Classes listed in alphabetical order.
- Date of last class may change due to unforeseen circumstances.
- You do not need to be a Community Center member to attend HCRP fitness classes at a center.
- Info: Amy Patton, 410-313-4718 or apatton@howardcountymd.gov.

Personal Training

Personal Training

Each session is customized to fit your individual needs and abilities. Private training sessions are one participant to one trainer; semi-private sessions are up to three participants to one trainer. Sessions are non-transferrable. Registration for sessions is first-come, first-served; walk-in and phone registrations only. All sessions must be scheduled at the time of registration. Gary J. Arthur Comm Ctr info: 410-313-4840 or Sara Schwab, 410-313-4842 or sschwab@howardcountymd.gov. Roger Carter Comm Ctr info: 410-313-2764 or Julija Sajauskas, 410-313-2722 or jsajauskas@howardcountymd.gov.

13 yrs + Ongoing Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr & Roger Carter Comm Ctr

1 session	30 minutes, private	\$45
1 session	60 minutes, private	\$75
4 sessions	30 minutes, private	\$160
8 sessions	30 minutes, private	\$299
4 sessions	30 minutes, semi-private, up to 3	\$240
8 sessions	30 minutes, semi-private, up to 3	\$459

Teens

- Info: Amy Patton, 410-313-4718 or apatton@howardcountymd.gov.

NEW! Teen/Adult Yoga with Gina Bates Brown

This class is open to both teens and adults! Enroll as a teen/parent duo or register as an individual. Enjoy classic hatha yoga postures and breathing techniques. Movements are practiced in a flowing style that integrates movement and breath that helps to lengthen, strengthen, and relax.

Yoga mats/blocks provided but please bring your own mat if you have one. (No class 11/23.)

13 yrs + Classes: 10

RP8245.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 21 4:30-5:30pm F \$120

Cardio & Strength

- Info: Amy Patton, 410-313-4718 or apatton@howardcountymd.gov.

AAA/Triple Threat with Robin Robinson

AAA/Triple Threat is a complete and total body workout but targets three of your most valuable assets... your Arms, your Abs and your Ace (Gluteus Maximus)! Melt body fat, get a tighter core, toned arms and a firm bottom. Accelerate your workout and maximize your results in 30 minutes. Suitable for all fitness levels. (No class 11/20, 11/22.)

18 yrs + Classes: 12 or 23

RP8551.121 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 13 6-6:30pm Tu or Th \$60

RP8551.122 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 13 6-6:30pm Tu,Th \$115

AM Fitness Workout

with Vickie Jacobs, AFAA, AAAI

Warm up with fun and easy moves, then move to the Precor cardio and strength training equipment for 40 minutes. Finish your workout with a great stretch to improve overall flexibility and balance. This is perfect for all fitness levels! Fitness waiver must be completed prior to exercising. **Must enroll by August 29.** This class must have 10 participants enrolled by the start date to run this class. (No class 11/22.)

18 yrs + Classes: 24

RP8669.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 11 8am-9am Tu,Th \$132

Aqua Zumba

Known as the Zumba pool party, this Aqua Zumba class gives new meaning to the idea of an invigorating workout! Splashing, stretching, twisting, laughing, hooting and hollering - experience it all at Aqua Zumba class. Blend together the Zumba formula and philosophy with traditional aqua fitness in a safe, challenging water-based workout that's cardio conditioning, body-tightening, and most of all, exhilarating! (No class 11/20, 11/22.)

18 yrs + Roger Carter Comm Ctr Classes: 6

RP8612.101 With Michelle Taylor Sep 13 9:45-10:30am Tu,Th \$60

RP8612.102 With Tish Heyssel Sep 13 6:30-7:15pm Tu,Th \$60

RP8612.111 With Michelle Taylor Oct 11 9:45-10:30am Tu,Th \$60

RP8612.112 With Tish Heyssel Oct 11 6:30-7:15pm Tu,Th \$60

RP8612.121 With Michelle Taylor Nov 1 9:45-10:30am Tu,Th \$60

RP8612.122 With Tish Heyssel Nov 1 6:30-7:15pm Tu,Th \$60

RP8612.131 With Michelle Taylor Nov 29 9:45-10:30am Tu,Th \$60

RP8612.132 With Tish Heyssel Nov 29 6:30-7:15pm Tu,Th \$60

Barre Above with Jordan Miller, SCW

Enjoy a cutting-edge, safe and progressive method of barre training that lengthens and strengthens your muscles and improves your flexibility and posture. This fun class gives you great results! (No class 11/20.)

18 yrs + Classes: 11

RP8130.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 18 6-6:55pm Tu \$77

Barre Burn

Ballet movements combine with fitness exercises for a full-body workout. Sculpt and tone your body while gaining a dancer's sense of alignment and physical control. Round off your workout with yoga and stretching. Bring 3-to-5 lb. weights. Mats provided, but you're encouraged to bring your own.

18 yrs + With Becca Sigmund Classes: 11

RP8282.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 19 9:15-10:15am W \$132

18 yrs + With Rachel Wolfe Classes: 10

RP8282.102 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 19 8:15-9:15pm W \$120

NEW! Barre Burn + Cardio with Christine Hands

Do you enjoy barre classes, but are looking for more cardio? This class combines ballet and fitness movements like a traditional barre class, while also utilizing a faster BPM and more repetition to warm you up and have you sweating! Round off your workout with a cool down and stretch. Bring 3-to-5 lb. weights. Mats provided, but you're encouraged to bring your own.

18 yrs + Classes: 9

RP8242.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 22 10-11am Sa \$108

Body Conditioning with Cyndi Kummerlowe, AFAA

Stretch, strengthen and tone your body! This combination class includes 25 minutes of a low-impact cardio workout followed by beneficial strength training. Bring a mat and 2-to-5 lb. hand weights. (No class 11/6, 11/22.)

18 yrs + Classes: 23

RP8220.101 Rockburn ES Sep 11 7:05-8pm Tu,Th \$92

Booty Camp Cardio with Melissa Intelisano, SCW

Total motivation - no yelling or screaming. Designed to torch calories, crank up your metabolism, and change your body. Come build confidence with an array of cardio and strength moves utilizing balls, bands, weights and your own body weight. (No class 10/8, 10/31, 11/19, 11/21.)

18 yrs + Classes: 23

RP8430.104 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 10 6:30-7:20pm M,W \$138

"Build Your Engine" Strength Training with Christy Edwards, ACE

Build the engine (muscles) that burns the fuel (the food you eat)! In our 30s, our metabolism slows down... but we can speed it up with strength training. Change your body composition, help stabilize your joints, feel stronger and healthier, and look great. Challenge and strengthen every muscle group in your body to achieve balance, energy, confidence, and an increased metabolism. Bring a mat and hand weights. (No class 9/19.)

18 yrs + Classes: 14

RP8506.101 Centennial Lane ES Sep 17 6:30-7:30pm M,W \$63

Cardio Blast Interval Fit Over 40 with Beth Harbinson, AFAA

This highly effective class includes a 25-minute cardiovascular workout with intense intervals to boost metabolism and 35 minutes of muscle conditioning, core work and stretching. All levels enjoy an intense, energetic workout! Bring hand weights (5 lbs recommended) and a mat. (No class 9/10, 9/19, 10/29, 11/21.)

18 yrs + Classes: 23

RP8422.101 Veterans ES Sep 5 6:45-7:45pm M,W \$87

Cardio Crunch Challenge with Lori Nowicki, ACE

This class has it all! With each new rotation of classes, experience something new to challenge every muscle. Classes rotate between aerobics, step, circuit, boot camp, kickboxing, athletic training, cardio-stability ball, Tabata and intervals. Each class consists of 45 minutes of cardio mixed with strength, core, flexibility, foam roller and balance. Experience a high-energy class at high or low impact. Bring a mat, hand weights and stability ball. Some classes are outdoors. (No class 9/19, 11/7, 11/21.)

18 yrs + Classes: 14 or 24

RP8481.101 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Sep 12 9:15-10:30am M or W \$70

RP8481.102 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Sep 12 9:15-10:30am M,W \$120

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- **See page 13 for details**

Cardio Dance with Sandra Duerr, AFAA, NASM

This fun, choreographed dance class goes from warm-up steps to heart-pounding dances, giving you an aerobic workout that helps to sculpt your body. No sit ups or repetitions. We dance the inches away! Come sweat, laugh and burn lots of calories. (No class 9/19, 11/7.)

18 yrs + Roger Carter Comm Ctr Classes: 9 or 18

RP8225.101 Sep 12 11:30am-12:15pm W or F \$54

RP8225.102 Sep 12 11:30am-12:15pm W,F \$108

Cardio Fusion with Marianne Larkin, AAAI

Your favorite cardio and toning formats are combined in one challenging, power-packed workout. The easy-to-follow moves are demonstrated at various intensity levels so you can customize the workout to fit your needs. Pump up your workouts and burn fat with a mix of everything from step, high/low and interval training to strength, core, balance and flexibility exercises inspired by yoga and pilates. (No class 9/19, 11/7, 11/21.)

18 yrs + Classes: 13 or 22

RP8482.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 17 9:35-10:50am M or W \$78

RP8482.102 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 17 9:35-10:50am M,W \$132

Cardio Kickboxing with Robin Robinson

Exercise has never been so much fun! This class is calorie-burning, dance-party exercise session that combines tae bo, aerobics and dance. And did we mention great music? Come out and get in shape while having fun at the same time! Suitable for all fitness levels. (No class 11/20, 11/22, 11/24.)

18 yrs + Classes: 12 or 23

RP8551.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 13 6:30-7:30pm Tu or Th \$96

RP8551.102 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 13 6:30-7:30pm Tu,Th \$184

18 yrs + Classes: 12

RP8551.111 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 15 8:15-9:15am Sa \$96

NEW! Core-Focused Yoga with Rachel Wolfe

Get centered in core-focused yoga! This class draws on elements of pilates, somatic yoga, and traditional yoga asana to challenge your core; abdominal, back, pelvic floor muscles, and beyond. Build strength and connection to your center through breath, challenging core-work and flowing movement, all done at a moderate and mindful pace. Mats are provided but you are encouraged to bring your own.

18 yrs + Classes: 9

RP8242.111 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 22 11:30am-12:30pm Sa \$108

Fit Jam: Cardio Party with Liz Rolland

Think all workouts are boring? Think again! Join this cardio party and dance the night away to the hottest hits from around the globe. Learn the basic steps from salsa, Cumbia, hip-hop and many more dance styles. Simple choreography is very easy to learn, no experience necessary! Bring a friend and have a blast while burning tons of calories! Get ready to be gorgeous! Bring a towel and water bottle. (No class 11/22.)

18 yrs + Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr

RP8350.101 Sep 17 5:45-6:45pm M \$120 Classes: 12

RP8350.102 Sep 20 5:45-6:45pm Th \$110 Classes: 11

Fit Jam: Fire and Spice! with Liz Rolland

Spice up your workout with this unique blend of Pilates mat work, cardio dance fitness and yoga stretches set to the hottest music from around the globe. Incinerate mega calories while toning and tightening all those problem zones. Learn the basic moves first, and then challenge your workout with light weights, stability balls and bands (provided). Bring a thick yoga mat and a water bottle. This workout is hot stuff! (No class 11/23.)

18 yrs + Classes: 11

RP8351.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 21 9:30-10:45am F \$132

Foam Roll & Stretch with Liz Rolland

Love a massage? Learn to give yourself a healing, therapeutic massage using a foam roller. This tool offers a safe and effective method for massaging both muscles and fascia—the connective tissue that surrounds muscles. Foam rolling helps release tight muscles and knots, relieve tension, increase blood flow to speed healing, and soothe aches and pains. Perfect for active people looking to reduce their risk of injury and stress. Class includes foam rolling techniques and gentle stretches. Foam rollers provided. (No class 11/23.)

18 yrs + Classes: 11

RP8283.103 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 21 11-11:45am F \$99

Fun & Friendly Bootcamp By Liz Rolland

Beginners welcome! Hate drill sergeants shouting at you? Then this class is for you! Learn the bootcamp basics, from pushups to planks to burpees, all in the comfort of an indoor studio. The 45-minute workout includes a complete and careful warm-up, a variety of aerobics and strength training, specific skill drills, safe stretching, and abdominal exercises to flatten the tummy. Wear comfortable cross-training shoes. Bring a water bottle and towel.

18 yrs + Classes: 12

RP8384.111 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 18 10:30-11:15am Tu \$108

Fun Fitness with Sandra Duerr, AFAA, NASM

Music and movement therapy help relieve stress. It frees the spirit, mind, and body. Start with flexibility exercises on the floor, then use large balls, bands, and weights. Work on body-tone, coordination, balance, and core strength. Some dancing puts it together cardio style! (No class 9/19, 11/7.)

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP8225.121 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 12 10:30-11:20am W \$60

NEW! Kettlebell AMPD with

Anna Whitaker, AFAA

Kettlebell AMPD takes heart-pumping music and your favorite kettlebell moves and combines them into an hour of calorie-torching fun! This whole-body workout emphasizes group fitness and focuses on specific areas such as arms, legs, core, and cardio. Kettlebell is for all ages and levels. Weights vary anywhere from 5-10lbs, so the workout can be adjusted and moves modified. The music is diverse, and the moves are easy to learn. Get lost in the music and push yourself with the most effective, fulfilling, and lively workout available! Please bring a three to five pound kettlebell. (No class 10/8, 11/19.)

18 yrs + Classes: 10

RP8435.131 Mt. View MS Sep 17 6:30-7:30pm M \$60

NEW! Nia Fitness by Smita Khatri

Enjoy a blend of dance, martial arts and yoga that's for every BODY. It's so much more than a fitness class. This is a mind-body conditioning program that combines the dance arts, healing arts, and martial arts.

18 yrs + Classes: 11

RP8061.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 17 5:15-6:15pm M \$77

Step & Sculpt! with Marianne Larkin, AAAI

Enjoy an invigorating, fun, medium-to-high-intensity class that has it all. Pump up your cardiovascular fitness and challenge your brain with the latest turbo charged step moves combined with strength, core and balance exercises for a total body workout. Moves are demonstrated at various intensity levels so you can customize the workout to fit your needs. Steps are provided. Bring a mat and hand weights. Classes are for all levels. (No class 11/6, 11/22.)

18 yrs + Classes: 11 or 22

RP8300.111 Mt. View MS Sep 18 7-8pm Tu or Th \$55

RP8300.112 Mt. View MS Sep 18 7-8pm Tu,Th \$110

18 yrs + 75 Minute workout Classes: 12

RP8300.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 22 8:30-9:45am Sa \$72



What is Tabata? It is working out at a high intensity level for short periods of time with planned, short rests between sets. For example, work out hard for 20 seconds, rest for 10 seconds, work out hard for 20 seconds, rest for 10 seconds, etc.

Tabata Interval Training with Lori Nowicki, ACE

Get great results in a short time! This boot camp is based on the most effective high-intensity interval training (20 seconds on, 10 seconds rest). This program includes three types of Tabata for maximum results. Burn 5x more calories after exercise. Our motto is more is not better, better is better! Workouts can be modified. (No class 10/19, 11/23.)

18 yrs + Classes: 12
 RP8485.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 14 9:15-9:55am F \$60

Total Body Tone & Core with Marianne Larkin, AAAI

This lively total body workout moves to the beat of the music. Burn calories as you flow through a variety of exercises designed to sculpt and tone your body while strengthening your core and improving your balance and flexibility. Bring a mat and 2 to 5 lb. weights. (No class 11/6, 11/22.)

18 yrs + Classes: 11 or 22
 RP8210.101 Mt. View MS Sep 18 6-6:55pm Tu or Th \$50
 RP8210.111 Mt. View MS Sep 18 6-6:55pm Tu,Th \$99

Total Impact Workout with Royale Fit AAI/ISMA

Are you ready to maximize your workout time while attaining your fitness goal in a fun atmosphere? This workout is designed to propel you to your fitness goal with a high-intensity interval, full-body workout guaranteed to burn fat, increase metabolism and strengthen your muscles. Each session consists of 15 minutes of jump rope cardio blast, body weight exercises, muscle toning, core workouts and stretches in a party atmosphere. Get ready to meet the upgraded version of you, full of confident, strong and fit. Bring along a jump rope, a mat and 5 or 10 lbs. pair of dumb bell. (No class 10/6, 11/21, 11/24.)

18 yrs + Classes: 12
 RP8550.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 15 10:30-11:30am Sa \$114
 RP8550.102 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 19 7:30-8:30pm W \$114

Zumba

Zumba takes the “work” out of “workout” by mixing low-intensity and high-intensity moves for an interval-style, calorie-burning dance fitness party. Once the Latin and world rhythms take over, you’ll see why Zumba® Fitness is exercise in disguise. Super effective? Check. Super fun? Check. Zumba is a total workout, combining all elements of fitness: cardio, muscle conditioning, balance and flexibility, boosted energy and a serious dose of awesome

each time you leave class. (No class 11/21.)

18 yrs +	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Classes: 12			
RP8330.101	With Stephanie Scott	Sep 17	5:30-6:30pm	M	\$84
18 yrs +	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Classes: 11			
RP8330.102	With Stephanie Scott	Sep 18	5:30-6:30pm	W	\$77
18 yrs +	Misako Beats Studio	Classes: 8			
RP8360.101	With Brandi Harrington	Sep 17	7-9pm	M	\$96
18 yrs +	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Classes: 8			
RP8360.102	With Brandi Harrington	Sep 22	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$96

Health & Relaxation

• Info: Amy Patton, 410-313-4718 or
 apatton@howardcountymd.gov.

Hatha Yoga for Flexibility & Relaxation

Create a calm, peaceful awareness of both body and mind through the ancient art of yoga. Classic yoga postures and breathing techniques are practiced in a flowing style that integrates movement and breath. Come prepared to lengthen, strengthen and relax. Beginning and ongoing students are welcome. Yoga mats/blocks provided. (No class 11/22, 11/23.)

18 yrs + Kinetics Dance Theatre Classes: 10
 RP8240.101 With Kris Copeman Sep 20 9:45-10:45am Th \$120
 RP8240.102 With Gina Bates Brown Sep 21 7-8pm F \$120

Introduction to Pilates with Christine Williams

Connect your mind, body and spirit as you practice this systematic exercise program. This series of flowing movements and breathing patterns lengthen and strengthen your muscles, with a primary focus on the powerhouse/abdominals. All levels of practitioners are welcome. Please bring a mat.

18 yrs + Classes: 8
 RP8155.101 Misako Ballet Studio Sep 22 8:30-9:30am Sa \$99

Pilates Plus with Liz Rolland

This mat work class strengthens and tones all major muscle groups, focusing specifically on abdominal, back, hips, and thighs. Light weights are added in order to intensify your workout once the basic exercises have been learned. Enjoy gentle yoga stretches and a full-body relaxation that leaves you refreshed and ready to face the day! Bring a yoga/pilates mat and a towel.

18 yrs + Classes: 12
 RP8384.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 18 9:15-10:15am Tu \$144



Pilates strengthens and tones all major muscle groups, focusing specifically on abdominal, back, hips, and thighs.

Pilates with Dianna Fornaro, AFAA, ER-Pilates

This whole-body program emphasizes core strengthening for abdominal and lower back muscles. Work everything from your neck to your knees to your entire core. Tone and lengthen your muscles, increase your strength, improve your posture and flexibility, and have fun doing it! Bring a mat and two yoga blocks. (No class 9/19, 10/8, 10/31, 11/12, 11/19, 11/21.)

18 yrs + Classes: 23 Free class 9/5, register at www.freedomfitness.info/events

RP8420.101 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Sep 10 7-8pm M,W \$138

Pilates with Lori Nowicki, AAI, AFPA

Pilates is the ultimate mind-body exercise program. This class can be modified and use of toys is optional. Exercises incorporate multiple repetitions, mixed tempos, added equipment and reformer-like movements. Strengthen your legs, arms and core, increase your flexibility, and reduce stress! Focus is on core, balance, breathing, and alignment. Bring your own mat and ball. (No class 11/6, 11/20, 11/22.)

18 yrs + Classes: 24

RP8154.101 Cedar Lane Rec Ctr Sep 11 9:15-10am Tu,Th \$100

Piloxing with Jordan Miller, SCW

Enjoy a non-stop, cardio fusion of Pilates, boxing, and dance that pushes you past your limits for a sleek and powerful you! This class blends the power, speed and agility of boxing with the flexibility and sculpting of Pilates to give you a muscle-toning, fat-burning, exhilarating workout that makes you feel physically and mentally empowered! (No class 11/6.)

18 yrs + Classes: 11

RP8135.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 18 7-8pm Tu \$72

Revive, Relax & Renew Yoga with Mary Garratt, E-RYT 500

Even if you can't twist into a pretzel, you can enjoy yoga. Classes are an active, physical workout and a relaxing, meditative work-in. This class is for beginners or those with some yoga experience. Explore and expand your own strength, flexibility, balance, and focus. You leave each class feeling better than when you walked in. Bring a yoga mat. (No class 11/21.)

18 yrs + Classes: 12

RP8252.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 17 7-8pm M \$114

RP8252.102 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 12 5:45-6:45pm W \$114

Sunday Afternoon Yoga with Mary Garratt, E-RYT500

Ease your way into the work week with yoga. Come refresh your body and calm your mind. Whether you're new to yoga or have experience, enjoy the benefits of an energizing, physical workout and a soothing, meditative work-in. Explore and expand your strength, flexibility, balance and focus. Leave each class relaxed and ready to take on the week! Bring a yoga mat.

18 yrs + Classes: 12

RP8252.112 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 16 2-3pm Su \$114

Tai Chi

Tai Chi offers a variety of health benefits, including joint stability, balance and coordination. It improves mental focus, increases energy and releases stress. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Dunloggin MS Classes: 12

RP8850.101 Beginner Sep 12 7-8pm W \$93

RP8850.102 Advanced Sep 12 8:05-9:05pm W \$93

18 yrs + Dunloggin MS Classes: 13

RP8850.103 Beginner Sep 13 7-8pm Th \$101

RP8850.104 Advanced Sep 8:05-9:05pm Th \$101

Therapeutic Massage & Reflexology

Gentle massage therapy can help you feel better physically by easing pain and allowing the body to relax. Offered by Carol Lancaster, licensed massage therapist. Info: 410-313-4840.

18 yrs + Gary J. Arthur Comm Ctr 10am-9pm Tu

½ hour \$35 1 ½ hour \$85

1 hour \$60 Reflexology \$45

Yoga for a Happy Body with Liz Rolland

In order to be healthy and happy, our bodies are meant to move! Learn to lovingly care for your body and mind with yoga. Gently stretch and strengthen your whole body with yoga postures and movement sequences while practicing breath awareness and mindfulness. Leave class feeling better than when you walked in! Perfect for all levels. Please wear comfortable clothing. Bring a yoga mat and a large beach towel to each class.

18 yrs + Classes: 12

RP8284.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 17 9:15-10:15am M \$144

New! Yoga Fusion with Liz Rolland

This class combines four healing modalities in each 45-minute session: gentle yoga stretches, simple qi gong movement sequences, deep breathing, and foam rolling. Perfect as a warm up before Fit Jam Cardio Party or a wonderful way to wind down after work. Foam rolling (using provided foam rollers) offers an effective method of self-massage, reducing muscle tension while soothing aches and pains. Qi gong improves balance and focus while reducing stress. Yoga poses stretch muscles and reduce fatigue. Deep breathing quiets the mind and restores vital energy. Come feel like you've spent a day at the spa! Bring a yoga mat to each class. (No class 11/22.)

18 yrs + Classes: 12

RP8283.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 17 4:45-5:30pm M \$108

18 yrs + Classes: 11

RP8283.102 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 20 4:45-5:30pm Th \$99

Yogalates with EC Goode

This class merges two disciplines, yoga, and Pilates. A fusion of the ancient discipline of yoga with the modern Pilates techniques, the exercises mix both disciplines to develop core strength, tone muscles, increase flexibility and reduce stress. Beginning and ongoing students are welcome. Yoga mats/blocks are provided, but please bring your own mat if you have one.

18 yrs + Classes: 11

RP8244.101 Kinetics Dance Theatre Sep 18 8:30-9:30pm Tu \$108

Active Adults (55 yrs +)

• Info/Fitness Waiver: Curtis Gore,
410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov.

Basic Defensive Tactics

Learn basic techniques that teach you how to defend yourself against physical threats. Through the techniques of Sifu Johnson, Basic Defensive Tactics incorporates a positive attitude and a few basic precautions, which allow you to avoid a potential problem. Learn in a relaxed environment that is conducive to learning proven tactics and unique insights about the problems unique to older adults. (No class 9/19, 10/24, 11/7, 11/21.)

55 yrs + Classes: 5

RP3517.101	Bain 50+ Ctr	Sep 12	1-2pm	W	\$72
RP3517.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	10-11am	W	\$72
RP3517.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 31	10-11am	W	\$72
RP3517.104	Bain 50+ Ctr	Nov 7	1-2pm	W	\$72

NEW! Beginner Mat Pilates

Improve your flexibility and strengthen your core, thereby protecting your back and improving your posture. Enjoy exercises on the floor. Reap the amazing benefits as this class helps create stability in the hips and spine while building core muscles and flexibility.

55 yrs + Meets twice a week Classes: 8

RP3514.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	8am-9am	Tu, Th	\$68
RP3514.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	8am-9am	Tu, Th	\$68

55 yrs + Meets once a week Classes: 8

RP3514.103	Ellicott City 50+ Ctr	Sep 13	6:30-7:30pm	Th	\$68
RP3514.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 15	8:30-9:30am	Sa	\$68

Cardio Dance and Tone with Margaret Wolf

This exciting class includes cardio with dance aerobic moves and strength training using weights and/or resistance bands. Core conditioning may also be included. Appropriate for all fitness levels. Please bring a mat and 2-5 lb weights.

55 yrs + 10% off two or more people First two classes are free Classes: 18

RP3505.101	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Sep 12	2:30-3:30pm	W, F	\$80
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Exercise with Ease with Debbie Flynn

This well-rounded hour of fitness for active seniors includes low-impact aerobics, stretching, muscle tone and strength activities aimed at improving endurance, body alignment, balance, and proper breathing. Listen to upbeat music while learning simple choreographed moves. (No class 11/20, 11/22.)

55 yrs + Classes: 24

RP8060.101	E. Columbia 50+ Ctr	Sep 11	8:50-9:50am	Tu, Th	\$72
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Fitness for Life with Lori Nowicki, ACE, AFPA

Designed for active adults, class combines easy-to-follow aerobics, weight and cardio training with Keiser and Precor equipment, free weights, bands, floor exercises, balance training and stretching. (No class 9/19, 10/19, 11/6, 11/7, 11/20-11/23.)

55 yrs + Classes: 24

RP8666.101	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Sep 12	12:35-1:50pm	M, W	\$144
RP8666.102	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Sep 11	10:30-11:45am	Tu, Th	\$144
RP8666.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	12:15-1:30pm	Tu, Th	\$144

55 yrs + Classes: 12

RP8666.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 14	10-11am	F	\$72
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To register, visit
www.howardcountymd.gov/rap
or call 410-313-7275.

NEW! Functional Training For the Active Adult with Lori Nowicki, ACE, AFPA

With the use of the BOSU stability ball, light weights and resistance bands, the active adult will learn exercises which involve training the body for the activities performed in daily life. (No class 9/19, 11/7.)

55 yrs + Classes: 16

RP3516.101	Cedar Lane Rec Ctr	Sep 12	10:45-11:30am	M, W	\$139
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Gentle Yoga

This slower-paced yoga class is suitable for those new to yoga or just preferring a less vigorous class. Participants move through poses designed to increase flexibility, strength and balance while emphasizing mindfulness and breathe awareness. Yoga props utilized to make poses easier, allowing the body to fully achieve the benefits of each pose comfortably. Must be able to get up and down from the floor. Please bring a yoga mat. (No class 11/22.)

55 yrs + Classes: 6

RP3515.101	Elkridge 50+ Ctr	Sep 11	6:30-7:30pm	Tu	\$42
RP3515.102	Elkridge 50+ Ctr	Oct 23	6:30-7:30pm	Tu	\$42
RP3515.103	Bain 50+ Ctr	Sep 13	5-6pm	Th	\$42
RP3515.104	Bain 50+ Ctr	Oct 25	5-6pm	Th	\$42

Walking with Ease

Incorporate physical activity into your lifestyle with this multi-component, low-impact walking program. Increase your strength, balance, walking pace and physical ability while decreasing stress, pain and fatigue. Class includes health education, stretching and strengthening exercises as well as 10-40 minutes of walking. Must be able to walk or stand for 10 minutes with no lower-extremity limitations.

55 yrs + 10% off two or more people Classes: 18

RP3512.101	Cedar Lane Rec Ctr	Sep 11	10:30-11:30am	Tu, Th	\$64
RP3512.102	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Sep 12	10-11am	W, F	\$64



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Concussion Information

www.howardcountymd.gov/concussion

What is a concussion?

A concussion is a type of brain injury that changes the way the brain normally works. A concussion is caused by a bump, blow, or jolt to the head. Concussions can also occur from a blow to the body that causes the head and brain to move rapidly back and forth. Even what seems to be a mild blow to the head can be serious.

What are some warning signs of a concussion? — For Immediate Attention Call 911

Signs Observed by a Parent/Guardian

- Appears dazed or stunned
- Is confused about assignment or position
- Forgets sports plays
- Is unsure of game, score, or opponent
- Moves clumsily
- Answers questions slowly
- Loses consciousness (even briefly)
- Shows behavior or personality changes
- Can't recall events prior to hit or fall
- Can't recall events after hit or fall

Signs Reported by the Athlete

- Headache or "pressure" in the head
- Nausea or vomiting
- Balance problems or dizziness
- Double or blurry vision
- Sensitivity to light
- Sensitivity to noise
- Feeling sluggish, hazy, or groggy
- Concentration or memory problems
- Confusion
- Does not "feel right"

What should you do if you think a concussion has occurred?

1. Seek medical attention right away.
2. Legally, you must keep your child out of play until medically cleared by a qualified health care provider.
3. Inform all coaches about any recent concussions.
4. Help your child return to sports safely after a concussion.

Sudden Cardiac Arrest

www.howardcountymd.gov/suddencardiacarrest

What is Sudden Cardiac Arrest?

Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) is a potentially fatal condition in which the heart suddenly and unexpectedly stops beating. When this happens, blood stops flowing to the brain and other vital organs. Student athletes' risk of SCA is nearly four times that of non-athletes due to increased demands on the heart during exercise. SCA is caused by several structural and electrical diseases of the heart. These conditions predispose an individual to have an abnormal rhythm that can be fatal if not treated within a few minutes. Most conditions responsible for SCA in children are inherited, which means the tendency to have these conditions is passed from parents to children through the genes. Other possible causes of SCA are a sudden blunt non-penetrating blow to the chest and the use of recreational or performance-enhancing drugs and/or energy drinks.

Warning Signs of SCA

- SCA strikes immediately.
- SCA should be suspected in any athlete who has collapsed and is unresponsive.
 - No response to tapping on shoulders
 - Does nothing when asked if he/she is OK
- No pulse

Emergency Response to SCA

- Act immediately; time is most critical to increase survival rates.
- Recognize SCA.
- Call 911 immediately and activate EMS.
- Administer CPR.
- Use Automatic External Defibrillator (AED).

Info from American Heart Association (www.heart.org), Parent Heart Watch (www.parentheartwatch.org) and the Sudden Cardiac Arrest Foundation (www.sca-aware.org).

Sports

• Superintendent: Allan Harden, 410-313-4652.

Coaches' and Administrator's Registry

All children's sports coaches and administrators (volunteer or paid) are members of the Coaches' and Administrator's Registry. Membership requirements include:

- Annual National background screening
- American Sport Education Program certification
- Concussion and Cardiac Arrest awareness training
- Membership badge with photo and membership expiration date to be displayed by coach on field/court

League Refund Policy

Unless otherwise directed in the community sport program description, a 20% administrative fee is deducted for all refund requests more than four (4) weeks prior to league starting; a 50% refund if withdrawal requested more than two (2) weeks prior to league starting; no refunds are given less than two (2) weeks prior to the start of the league. Registration is accepted on a first-come, first-served basis up to the registration deadline listed in each league description. Additional teams may be accepted at the league commissioner's discretion. Special requests for youth leagues should be made at the time of registration, are not guaranteed, and are at the discretion of the department.

Aquatics

- Swimming lessons emphasize skills needed to be safe in an aquatic environment. All our instructors have been trained at our facility and are knowledgeable about the programs we teach.
- Be sure to register your child for the appropriate level. If space allows, a participant may be moved to a lower or more advanced level at the discretion of the swim lesson coordinator.
- For multiple sessions, register your child in the same course for a minimum of two sessions. Children often require more than one session to master the skills needed to proceed to the next level.
- Parents and guardians are not permitted to assist child during the lesson, except for the parent-child or Therapeutic Recreation classes. Accompanying adult for children under 16 must remain at the facility.
- Swimming diapers and/or rubber shorts must be worn.
- Read Concussion & Sudden Cardiac Arrest info on page 70. Your family's review of this info is required by law before you're allowed to register for sports/swim programs.

Not sure which level to register for?

Free skill evaluations every Monday from 7-7:30pm.
No registration required. First come first serve.

Interested in Scuba certification?

Info: Stacy Tozaki, 410-313-2765 or stozaki@howardcountymd.gov.

Group Lessons (0-15 yrs)

Baby Water Play: Parent/Child

Parents learn how to work safely with their children in the water, including how to appropriately support and hold them. The focus of the class is for children to develop water comfort. With an adult, children explore safe water practices including submerging, buoyancy, gliding and changing body position in the water through play. Swimming diapers must be worn in addition to swimwear. Registration/Info 410-313-2764.

6 mos-2 yrs Classes: 8

RP4007.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	5-5:30pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4007.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	5-5:30pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4007.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 27	5-5:30pm	Tu,Th	\$80

Aqua Tots: Parent/child

This parent/child class creates the foundation for safe practices in the water. Parents support their children as they become familiar with the aquatic environment. Children are introduced to basic water skills such as water entry and exit, breath control, buoyancy, treading and swimming on the front and back with support. Swimming diapers must be worn in addition to swimwear for non-potty-trained children. Registration/Info 410-313-2764.

3 yrs Classes: 8

RP4008.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	6:10-6:40pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4008.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	6:10-6:40pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4008.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 27	6:10-6:40pm	Tu,Th	\$80

Preschool Swimming

Registration/Info: 410-313-2764.

Level 1: Your child becomes familiar with the aquatic environment and learns basic water skills such as water entry and exit, breath control, buoyancy, treading and swimming on the front and back with support. This class creates the foundation for safe practices.

4-5 yrs Classes: 8

RP4009.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	5:35-6:05pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4009.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	5:35-6:05pm	W,F	\$80
RP4009.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	6:45-7:15pm	W,F	\$80
RP4009.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	5:35-6:05pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4009.105	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	5:35-6:05pm	W,F	\$80
RP4009.106	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	6:45-7:15pm	W,F	\$80
RP4009.107	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 27	5:35-6:05pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4009.108	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	5:35-6:05pm	W,F	\$80
RP4009.109	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	6:45-7:15pm	W,F	\$80

Level 2 (must have passed Level 1): Your child becomes more independent through more advanced fundamentals of water entry and exit, breath control, buoyancy, treading and swimming on the front and back with assistance as needed.

4-5 yrs Classes: 8

RP4010.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	5-5:30pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4010.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	6:45-7:15pm	W,F	\$80
RP4010.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	5-5:30pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4010.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	6:45-7:15pm	W,F	\$80
RP4010.105	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 27	5-5:30pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4010.106	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	6:45-7:15pm	W,F	\$80

Level 3 (must have passed Level 2): Your child practices independent water entry and exit, breath control, buoyancy, treading and swimming on the front and back at a more proficient level. Emphasis is on improved coordination of combined simultaneous and alternating arm and leg actions. Children must be comfortable floating, gliding and swimming in 5' without assistance.

4-5 yrs Classes: 8

RP4011.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	5:35-6:05pm	W,F	\$80
RP4011.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	5:35-6:05pm	W,F	\$80
RP4011.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	5:35-6:05pm	W,F	\$80



Come learn to swim or take a clinic to perfect your strokes!

Aqua Kids

Registration/Info: 410-313-2764.

Level 1: In this intro to swimming, learn basic water safety and skills. Skills include safe entry and exit, breath control, floating and swimming on the front and back.

6-10 yrs Classes: 8

RP4012.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	6:10-6:40pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4012.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	5-5:30pm	W,F	\$80
RP4012.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	7:20-7:50pm	W,F	\$80
RP4012.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	6:10-6:40pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4012.105	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	5-5:30pm	W,F	\$80
RP4012.106	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	7:20-7:50pm	W,F	\$80
RP4012.107	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 27	6:10-6:40pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4012.108	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	5-5:30pm	W,F	\$80
RP4012.109	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	7:20-7:50pm	W,F	\$80

Level 2 (must have passed/completed Level 1): Build on the fundamental skills of entry and exit, breath control and buoyancy. Emphasis on combined simultaneous and alternating arm action at a more proficient level. Learning how to float unassisted as well as treading in deep water.

6-10 yrs Classes: 8

RP4013.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	5:35-6:05pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4013.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	6:10-6:40pm	W,F	\$80
RP4013.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	7:20-7:50pm	W,F	\$80
RP4013.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	5:35-6:05pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4013.105	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	6:10-6:40pm	W,F	\$80
RP4013.106	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	7:20-7:50pm	W,F	\$80
RP4013.107	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 27	5:35-6:05pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4013.108	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	6:10-6:40pm	W,F	\$80
RP4013.109	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	7:20-7:50pm	W,F	\$80

Level 3 (must have passed/completed Level 3): Build on your skills and begin breaststroke, and dolphin kicks. Begin to learn head-first entries. You should be able to swim 15 yds. freestyle and backstroke unassisted and be comfortable in deep water. Class taught in 10' water.

6-10 yrs Classes: 8

RP4014.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	7:40-8:10pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4014.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	5-5:30pm	W,F	\$80
RP4014.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	6:10-6:40pm	W,F	\$80
RP4014.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	7:40-8:10pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4014.105	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	5-5:30pm	W,F	\$80

RP4014.106	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	6:10-6:40pm	W,F	\$80
RP4014.107	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 27	7:40-8:10pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4014.108	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	5-5:30pm	W,F	\$80
RP4014.109	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	6:10-6:40pm	W,F	\$80

Learn to Swim

Registration/Info: 410-313-2764.

Beginner: Learn basic water safety and skills. Basic aquatic skills including safe entry and exit, breath control, buoyancy, treading, changing direction and swimming on the front and back are taught. Learn how to float and swim without support.

11-15 yrs Classes: 8

RP4015.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	7:55-8:25pm	W,F	\$80
RP4015.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	7:55-8:25pm	W,F	\$80
RP4015.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	7:55-8:25pm	W,F	\$80

Intermediate: After completing Beginner Level and/or able to swim half a length of the pool, build on fundamentals. Entry and exit, breath control, buoyancy, treading, changing direction and longer distance swimming on the front and back are covered. Deep water safety is introduced. Begin breaststroke and dolphin kicks.

11-15 yrs Classes: 8

RP4016.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	7:40-8:10pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4016.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	7:40-8:10pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4016.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 27	7:40-8:10pm	Tu,Th	\$80

Private Lessons (3 yrs +)

Private/Semi-Private Swim Lessons

Each lesson lasts 30 minutes and is customized to fit individual needs and swimming abilities. Private lessons include one participant to one instructor; semi-private lessons include up to three participants to one instructor. Semi-private lessons participants must be of similar age and ability. Lessons are not transferrable. Registration is first-come, first-served. Info: Stacy Tozaki, 410-313-2765 or stozaki@howardcountymd.gov.

3 yrs + Private Classes: 8

RP4020.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Aug 25	\$254
RP4020.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 27	\$254

3 yrs + Semi-Private Classes: 8

RP4020.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Aug 25	\$441
RP4020.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 27	\$441

Swim Team Prep (6-18 yrs)

Swim Team Training

Registration/Info: 410-313-2764.

Pre-Swim Team Skills: In this stroke improvement course, work on the front crawl for longer distances and be introduced to sidestroke, back crawl, breaststroke and butterfly. The basics of turning at the wall and diving are presented. This is the perfect course for those interested in swim team! Pre-requisite: 25 yards of freestyle and 25 yards of backstroke.

Non-competitive Swim League: This rec league teaches you the basics of swim team drills and timing. Practices are one hour twice a week. Pre-requisites: 25 yard freestyle, 25 yard backstroke and 25 yard breaststroke.

Stroke and Turn Clinic: Are you already a competitive swimmer? Work on perfecting each stroke and learn flip turns for continuous swimming for competitions and fitness. Pre-requisite: 50-yard freestyle, 50-yard backstroke and 25-yard breaststroke.

6-18 yrs Pre-Swim Team Skills Classes: 8

RP4018.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	8:15-8:45pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4018.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	7:55-8:25pm	W,F	\$80
RP4018.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	8:30-9pm	W,F	\$80
RP4018.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	8:15-8:45pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4018.105	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	7:55-8:25pm	W,F	\$80



Breaststroke is a relaxing but complicated stroke. Take a clinic to learn how to perfect your kick, glide more effectively and more.

Introduction to Butterfly Clinic

Learn the basics of butterfly kick, pull and stroke. No prior butterfly swim experience required. Pre-requisite: 50-yards breaststroke.

<u>6-16 yrs</u>		<u>Classes: 1</u>			
RP4033.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 22	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12
RP4033.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 17	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12

Breaststroke Clinic

Learn how to improve your breaststroke swimming. Emphasis is placed on stroke technique and improvement. Prerequisite: 50-yards breaststroke.

6-16 yrs						
Classes: 1						
RP4032.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 13	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12	
RP4032.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Dec 15	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12	

Butterfly Stroke Clinic

Learn how to improve your butterfly stroke technique and timing in this clinic. Pre-requisite: 25-yards butterfly.

6-16 yrs						
Classes: 1						
RP4034.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 20	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12	
RP4034.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Dec 22	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12	

Guarding & Certification (15 yrs +)

Lifeguard Training

Prepare to save lives and make a difference in your community! Learn the skills necessary to prevent and respond to aquatic emergencies. Specific pre-course swimming requirements available when registering. You must attend every class, successfully complete required skills and pass written exams to receive the Red Cross certification for two years in Lifeguarding/First Aid and CPR/AED for the professional rescuer. You must be prepared to swim at all classes. Registration/Info: 410-313-2764.

15 yrs +		Classes: 3			
RP4002.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 8	9am-6:30pm	Su-M,Sa	\$205
RP4002.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 19	9am-6:30pm	Su,F-Sa	\$205

CONCUSSION & SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST INFO
 Read concussion and sudden cardiac arrest information on page 70. Review of this information is required by law before you are allowed to register for youth sports programs.

Sports

RP4018.106	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	8:30-9pm	W,F	\$80
RP4018.107	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 27	8:15-8:45pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4018.108	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	7:55-8:25pm	W,F	\$80
RP4018.109	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	8:30-9pm	W,F	\$80
6-10 yrs Non-competitive Swim League Classes: 16					
RP4022.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 10	5-6pm, M & 7-8am, Sa		\$114
11-18 yrs Non-competitive Swim League Classes: 16					
RP4022.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 10	6-7pm, M & 8-9am, Sa		\$114
6-10 yrs Non-competitive Swim League Classes: 14					
RP4022.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 5	5-6pm, M & 7-8am, Sa		\$100
11-18 yrs Non-competitive Swim League Classes: 14					
RP4022.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 5	6-7pm, M & Sa 8-9am,		\$100
8-18 yrs Stroke and Turn Clinic Classes: 8					
RP4024.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 10	7:30-8:30pm	M	\$100
8-18 yrs Stroke and Turn Clinic Classes: 7					
RP4024.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 5	7:30-8:30pm	M	\$88

One-Day Clinics (6-16 yrs)

• Registration/Info: 410-313-2764.

Basic Diving Clinic

Learn the basics of diving in this one-day clinic. Topics covered include seated, kneeling and standing dives from both the deck and diving board. No diving experience required. Pre-requisite: 25 yards freestyle and comfortable in deep water. Class is taught in 10' 6".

6-16 yrs						Classes: 1
RP4025.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 8	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12	
RP4025.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 3	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12	

Competitive Turns

Learn and refine your racing turns and transitions to improve your speed and efficiency. Flip turns, open turn, and backstroke flip turn are covered in this one day clinic. Pre-requisite: 25 yards freestyle, 25 yards backstroke and 25 yards breaststroke.

6-16 yrs		Classes: 1			
RP4027.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 27	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12
RP4027.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Dec 29	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12

Freestyle Stroke Clinic

Learn how to improve your freestyle swimming stroke. Emphasis is placed on stroke technique and improvement. Pre-requisite: 50-yards freestyle.

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<u>6-16 yrs Classes: 1</u>						
RP4030.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 29	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12	
RP4030.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Dec 1	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12	

Racing/Competitive Starts Clinic

Learn and refine your racing starts for each competitive stroke and relays. In-water and out of water dives/starts are taught in this one day clinic. Pre-requisites: 25 yards freestyle, 25 yards backstroke and 25 yards breaststroke.

6-16 yrs		Classes: 1			
RP4026.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 15	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12
RP4026.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 10	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12

Backstroke Clinic

Learn how to improve your breaststroke swimming. Emphasis is placed on stroke technique and improvement. Prerequisite: 50-yards breaststroke.

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6-16 yrs		Classes: 1				
RP4031.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 6	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12	
RP4031.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Dec 8	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$12	



Lifeguard Recertification

Recertify in just 10 hours! This course is for those who are currently certified in Lifeguarding/First Aid and CPR/AED. This is a competency test of skills with limited review with an instructor. Participants must provide copies of current certifications upon registration. Upon successful completion of the review, gain two-year certifications for Lifeguarding/First Aid and CPR/AED for the Lifeguard. Registration/Info: 410-313-2764.

15 yrs + Classes: 2

RP4003.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 22	4-9pm	Su,Sa	\$125
RP4003.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 13	4-9pm	Su,Sa	\$125
RP4003.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Dec 15	4-9pm	Su,Sa	\$125

Adults (16 yrs +)

Private/Semi-Private Lessons *Page 72*

Adult Swim Lessons

Registration/Info: 410-313-2764.

Beginner

Adults who never learned how to swim or are beginners, this is the class for you. Build on the fundamentals of swimming while developing water comfort. Learn breath control, buoyancy, treading, changing direction and swimming on the front and back.

16 yrs + Classes: 8

RP4019.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 12	8:30-9pm	W,F	\$80
RP4019.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 17	8:30-9pm	W,F	\$80
RP4019.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 28	8:30-9pm	W,F	\$80

Intermediate

Looking to refine and hone your stroke and turn skills? Adults with intermediate swimming skills who can swim at least half a length of the pool, refine their stroke and breathing skills for continuous swimming. Freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke and rhythmic breathing are heavily emphasized.

16 yrs + Classes: 8

RP4023.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	8:15-8:45pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4023.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	8:15-8:45pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4023.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 27	8:15-8:45pm	Tu,Th	\$80

Master's Swimming

RCCC Masters is a year-round program for swimmers with a focus on stroke improvement and fitness. Join an experienced coach and fellow swimmers for a 90-minute workout each weekend. Registration/Info: 410-313-2764.

18 yrs + Classes: 4

RP4035.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 9	7-8:30am	Su	\$24
RP4035.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 7	7-8:30am	Su	\$24
RP4035.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 4	7-8:30am	Su	\$24
RP4035.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Dec 2	7-8:30am	Su	\$24

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP4035.105	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 9	7-8:30am	Su	\$45
RP4035.106	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 4	7-8:30am	Su	\$45

Women Only Adult Swim Lessons

Ladies, join in the fun, new women's only swim lesson program. Learn safe entry and exit, breath control, buoyancy, treading, changing direction, floating, gliding and swimming on the front and back. All lessons are led by a female instructor. Registration/Info: 410-313-2764.

16 yrs + Classes: 8

RP4017.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 11	8:45-9:15pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4017.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 16	8:45-9:15pm	Tu,Th	\$80
RP4017.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 27	8:45-9:15pm	Tu,Th	\$80

Please bring a reusable water bottle to class.



Come enjoy baseball courses appropriate for your skill level!

Badminton

Youth Badminton

Boys and girls learn the fun, fast-paced game of badminton. Each week, you learn skills and game concepts through games and activities and compete in matches. Racquets and shuttlecocks are provided. Info: Will Dunmore, 410-313-1697.

9-14 yrs Classes: 8

RP6830.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 10	6:30-8pm	M	\$70
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Adult Badminton **flickr**

Play badminton during the day or at night! Join other badminton players of all ability levels in singles and doubles matches. The Meadowbrook Athletic Complex has courts set up during the designated times. A leader is on site to help assign players to matches. Bring your own rackets and shuttlecocks. (No session 11/22.) Info: Greg Meyd, 410-313-1162 for section .121 and Will Dunmore, 410-313-1697 for section .102.

18 yrs + Classes: 14

RP6830.121	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 6	Noon-2pm	Th	\$60
RP6830.102	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 10	8-11pm	M	\$105

Baseball, Softball & Tee Ball

Pre-K & Youth Instruction

Tiny Tykes Tee Ball

Batter up! Nobody strikes out and everyone hits home runs! Our age-appropriate equipment and activities are designed to provide a successful introduction to the skills of batting, catching, throwing, and base running. Parents are encouraged to follow the coach's instructions to assist in the games and activities with your child. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

3-4 yrs Classes: 6

RP6053.101	Forest Ridge ES	Sep 17	6-6:45pm	M	\$75
RP6053.102	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 18	10:30-11:15am	Tu	\$75
RP6053.103	Waterloo ES	Sep 18	6-6:45pm	Tu	\$75
RP6053.104	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 12	9:30-10:15am	W	\$75
RP6053.105	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 20	12:30-1:15pm	Th	\$75

RP6053.106	Hollifield Station ES	Sep 22	9:30-10:15am	Sa	\$75
RP6053.107	Waterloo ES	Sep 22	2:30-3:15pm	Sa	\$75
RP6053.111	Clemens Crossing ES	Nov 8	6-6:45pm	Th	\$63
<u>3-4 yrs Classes: 5</u>					
RP6053.108	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 5	1:30-2:15pm	M	\$63
RP6053.109	Atholton ES	Nov 13	1:30-2:15pm	Tu	\$63
RP6053.110	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 8	10:30-11:15am	Th	\$63
RP6053.112	Cradlerock ES	Nov 10	9:30-10:15am	Sa	\$63
RP6053.113	Dayton Oaks ES	Nov 10	2:30-3:15pm	Sa	\$63

Kiddie Tee Ball

Learn the fundamentals of baseball in this exciting clinic. Coaches have extensive training and focus on developing the necessary skills. Learn to catch, throw, field ground balls, hit, and run the bases in a variety of drills and mini-games. Bring a glove; other equipment is provided. Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

4 1/2-6 yrs Classes: 6

RP6054.101	Centennial Lane ES	Sep 17	4:25-5:25pm	M	\$54
RP6054.102	Bellows Spring ES	Sep 18	5-6pm	Tu	\$54
RP6054.104	Hammond ES	Sep 20	4:40-5:40pm	Th	\$54

4 1/2-6 yrs Classes: 5 No class 10/3

RP6054.103	St. John's Lane ES	Sep 26	4:25-5:25pm	W	\$45
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After-School Baseball

Learn the fundamentals of baseball in this exciting clinic. Coaches have extensive baseball training and focus on developing the necessary skills. Players learn to catch, throw, field ground balls, hit, and run the bases through a variety of drills and mini-games. Bring your glove, all other equipment is provided. (No class 10/3.) Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

6 1/2-8 1/2 yrs Classes: 6

RP6057.101	Centennial Lane ES	Sep 17	3:20-4:20pm	M	\$54
RP6057.102	Bellows Spring ES	Sep 18	4-5pm	Tu	\$54
RP6057.104	Hammond ES	Sep 20	3:35-4:35pm	Th	\$54

6 1/2-8 1/2 yrs Classes: 5

RP6057.103	St. John's Lane ES	Sep 26	3:20-4:20pm	W	\$45
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Pre-K, Youth & Teen Leagues

• League Refund Policy *Page 71*

Columbia Baseball League & Columbia Softball League **flickr**

Come join the CBL and CBSL this fall for some baseball and softball. The league features a weeknight practice and a weekend game. You can specify practice nights when you register. Baseball games for 6-8 and 9-10 year olds are on Saturdays, between 9am and 4pm. Tee ball, 11-12 and 13-14 year olds games are on Sundays, between noon and 6pm. Fee includes shirt and hat. Practices and games are held at schools & parks in Columbia. Volunteer coaches needed. Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

Tee Ball Weeks: 8

RP5990.101	4-6 yrs	Sep 9	Noon-4pm	Su	\$125
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Baseball Weeks: 8

RP5990.111	6-8 yrs	Sep 8	9am-4pm	Sa	\$135
RP5990.121	9-10 yrs	Sep 8	9am-4pm	Sa	\$135
RP5990.131	11-12 yrs	Sep 9	Noon-6pm	Su	\$135
RP5990.141	13-14 yrs	Sep 9	Noon-6pm	Su	\$135

Softball Weeks: 8

RP5995.101	6-8 yrs	Sep 8	9am-4pm	Sa	\$135
RP5995.111	9-10 yrs	Sep 8	9am-4pm	Sa	\$135
RP5995.121	11-12 yrs	Sep 8	9am-4pm	Sa	\$135
RP5995.131	13-14 yrs	Sep 8	9am-4pm	Sa	\$135

Western Howard County Youth Baseball & Softball League (WHCYBSL)

WHCYBSL provides tee ball, baseball and fast pitch softball leagues to families in Western Howard County, Columbia, and Clarksville. Howard County Recreation & Parks is contracted to provide administrative services to WHCYBSL. Registration deadline is September 2. Info: www.whcsports.com.

Fall Baseball

Continue to fine tune your baseball skills with WHC Fall Baseball! The fall schedule consists of one practice per week (specific night depends on coach/team placement) and games to be held on Sunday. All players receive a team jersey, and hat. Baseball players are required to provide/wear gray baseball pants, cleats and a glove. Opening Day is September 9; the season ends on October 28. Game locations are primarily at Western Regional Park, but are also held at other Howard County locations.

6-18 yrs 8 wks starting Sep 9 \$85, \$75 each additional child

RP5981.101	6-8 yrs	RP5981.131	13-14 yrs
RP5981.111	9-10 yrs	RP5981.141	15-18 yrs
RP5981.121	11-12 yrs		

Fall Fast Pitch Softball

Fine tune your softball skills with WHC Fall Fast Pitch Softball! The fall schedule consists of one practice per week (specific night depends on coach/team placement) and games to be held on Saturday. All players receive a team jersey, hat and socks. Softball players provide their own pants (color determined by coach), cleats and a glove. Bats and softball helmets are provided in the team equipment; a personal bat/helmet are optional. Opening Day is September 9; the season ends on October 29. Game locations are primarily at Western Regional Park but are also held at other Howard County locations.

6-18 yrs 8 wks starting Sep 9 \$85, \$75 each additional child

RP5982.101	6-8 yrs	RP5982.131	13-14 yrs
RP5982.111	9-10 yrs	RP5982.141	15-18 yrs
RP5982.121	11-12 yrs		

Basketball

Pre-K & Youth Instruction

Little Tykes Hoops Basketball

In this class, having fun is sure to be a slam dunk! Children are introduced to beginner basketball concepts such as dribbling, passing and shooting through a curriculum of exciting and fun-filled games and activities. Parents are encouraged to follow the coach's instructions to assist in the games and activities. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

3-4 yrs Classes: 6

RP6086.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 17	12:30-1:15pm	M	\$75
RP6086.102	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 18	9:30-10:15am	Tu	\$75
RP6086.103	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Sep 12	1:30-2:15pm	W	\$75
RP6086.104	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 20	10:30-11:15am	Th	\$75
RP6086.105	Veterans ES	Sep 20	5-5:45pm	Th	\$75
RP6086.106	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 22	2:30-3:15pm	Sa	\$75

3-4 yrs Classes: 5

RP6086.107	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 5	10:30-11:15am	M	\$63
RP6086.108	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 13	1:30-2:15pm	Tu	\$63
RP6086.109	Northfield ES	Nov 14	5-5:45pm	W	\$63
RP6086.110	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 8	1:30-2:15pm	Th	\$63
RP6086.111	Hammond ES	Nov 10	2:30-3:15pm	Sa	\$63

CONCUSSION & SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST INFO

Read concussion and sudden cardiac arrest information on page 70. Review of this information is required by law before you are allowed to register for youth sports programs.

Kiddie Basketball

Come learn the sport of basketball in this perfect introductory clinic. Players work on the fundamental skills of dribbling, passing, shooting, and overall team play in a fun and encouraging environment. Meet in the gym. (No class 10/3, 10/31, 11/19-22.) Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705

or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

5-7 yrs Session 1 Classes: 6

RP6080.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 17	5:05-6pm	M	\$50
RP6080.102	Cradlerock ES	Sep 17	3:55-4:55pm	M	\$54
RP6080.103	Clemens Crossing ES	Sep 18	4:55-5:55pm	Tu	\$54
RP6080.104	Bollman Bridge ES	Sep 18	4:15-5:15 pm	Tu	\$54
RP6080.107	Elkridge ES	Sep 20	5-6pm	Th	\$54
RP6080.109	Fulton ES	Sep 17	5-6pm	M	\$54
RP6080.110	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 18	5:05-6pm	Tu	\$50
RP6080.112	Bushy Pk ES	Sep 20	5-6pm	Th	\$54

5-7 yrs Session 1 Classes: 5

RP6080.105	Ducketts Lane ES	Sep 26	4:30-5:30 pm	W	\$45
RP6080.108	West Friendship ES	Sep 20	3:55-4:55pm	Th	\$45
RP6080.111	Elkridge ES	Sep 26	5-6pm	W	\$45

5-7 yrs Session 1 Classes: 4

RP6080.106	Fulton ES	Sep 26	5-6pm	W	\$36
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5-7 yrs Session 2 Classes: 6

RP6080.113	Fulton ES	Nov 5	5-6pm	M	\$54
RP6080.114	Veterans ES	Nov 5	5-6pm	M	\$54
RP6080.121	Jeffers Hill ES	Nov 5	4:40-5:40pm	M	\$54
RP6080.119	Atholton ES	Nov 8	4:55-5:55pm	Th	\$54
RP6080.120	Longfellow ES	Nov 8	4:35-5:35pm	Th	\$54
RP6080.124	Fulton ES	Nov 8	5-6pm	Th	\$54

5-7 yrs Session 2 Classes: 5

RP6080.115	Forest Ridge ES	Nov 13	4:55-5:55 pm	Tu	\$45
RP6080.116	Cradlerock ES	Nov 13	3:55-4:55pm	Tu	\$45
RP6080.122	Clemens Crossing ES	Nov 13	4:55-5:55pm	Tu	\$45
RP6080.117	Hammond ES	Nov 14	4:40-5:40pm	W	\$45
RP6080.118	Deep Run ES	Nov 14	5-6pm	W	\$45
RP6080.123	Clarksville ES	Nov 14	5-6pm	W	\$45

Instructional Basketball League

New and returning players, improve basic skill development through activities and scrimmages, Practice for four weeks and play four games against teams from other sites. T-shirt included. Register by location; meet in the gym. Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

6-7 yrs Classes: 8

RP6082.101	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 22	9-10am	Sa	\$80
RP6082.102	Ducketts Lane ES	Sep 22	9-10am	Sa	\$80
RP6082.103	Forest Ridge ES	Sep 22	9-10am	Sa	\$80
RP6082.104	Hollifield Station ES	Sep 22	9-10am	Sa	\$80
RP6082.105	Manor Woods ES	Sep 22	9-10am	Sa	\$80
RP6082.106	Running Brook ES	Sep 22	9-10am	Sa	\$80

7-8 yrs Classes: 8

RP6083.101	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 22	10:15-11:15am	Sa	\$80
RP6083.102	Ducketts Lane ES	Sep 22	10:15-11:15am	Sa	\$80
RP6083.103	Forest Ridge ES	Sep 22	10:15-11:15am	Sa	\$80
RP6083.104	Hollifield Station ES	Sep 22	10:15-11:15am	Sa	\$80
RP6083.105	Manor Woods ES	Sep 22	10:15-11:15am	Sa	\$80
RP6083.106	Running Brook ES	Sep 22	10:15-11:15am	Sa	\$80

8½-10 yrs Classes: 8

RP6084.101	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 22	11:30am-12:30pm	Sa	\$80
RP6084.102	Ducketts Lane ES	Sep 22	11:30am-12:30pm	Sa	\$80
RP6084.103	Forest Ridge ES	Sep 22	11:30am-12:30pm	Sa	\$80
RP6084.104	Hollifield Station ES	Sep 22	11:30am-12:30pm	Sa	\$80
RP6084.105	Manor Woods ES	Sep 22	11:30am-12:30pm	Sa	\$80
RP6084.106	Running Brook ES	Sep 22	11:30am-12:30pm	Sa	\$80

After-School Basketball

School's over and it's time to play some basketball. In this clinic, boys and girls learn and develop fundamental skills such as dribbling, passing, shooting, defense and overall team play through activities and games. It is the perfect place to start or to complement one of our basketball leagues. Meet in the gym. (No class 10/3, 10/31, 11/19-22.) Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

8-10 yrs Session 1 Classes: 6

RP6081.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 17	4:10-5:05pm	M	\$50
RP6081.102	Cradlerock ES	Sep 17	2:50-3:50pm	M	\$54
RP6081.103	Clemens Crossing ES	Sep 18	3:50-4:50pm	Tu	\$54
RP6081.104	Bollman Bridge ES	Sep 18	3:10-4:10pm	Tu	\$54
RP6081.107	Elkridge ES	Sep 20	4-5pm	Th	\$54

8-10 yrs Session 1 Classes: 5

RP6081.105	Ducketts Lane ES	Sep 26	3:25-4:25pm	W	\$45
RP6081.108	West Friendship ES	Sep 20	3:50-4:50pm	Th	\$45

8-10 yrs Session 1 Classes: 4

RP6081.106	Fulton ES	Sep 26	4-5pm	W	\$36
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8-10 yrs Session 2 Classes: 6

RP6081.109	Fulton ES	Nov 5	4-5 pm	M	\$54
RP6081.110	Veterans ES	Nov 5	4-5pm	M	\$54
RP6081.115	Atholton ES	Nov 8	3:50-4:50pm	Th	\$54
RP6081.116	Longfellow ES	Nov 8	3:30-4:30pm	Th	\$54
RP6081.112	Cradlerock ES	Nov 13	2:50-3:50pm	Tu	\$45

8-10 yrs Session 2 Classes: 5

RP6081.111	Forest Ridge ES	Nov 13	3:50-4:50pm	Tu	\$45
RP6081.113	Hammond ES	Nov 14	3:35-4:35pm	W	\$45
RP6081.114	Deep Run ES	Nov 14	4-5pm	W	\$45

Super Hoops Basketball

Girls and boys, hoops anyone? Coaches help advance your basic skills and fundamentals through a variety of drills, exercises, games and scrimmages. Emphasis is on dribbling, passing, shooting, offensive, defensive positioning and teamwork. Basketball knowledge and playing experience is preferred. Fee includes t-shirt. Meet in the gym. Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

8-10 yrs Classes: 6

RP6085.101	Hammond HS	Oct 7	1:30-3pm	Su	\$90
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11-13 yrs Classes: 6

RP6085.111	Hammond HS	Oct 7	3:15-4:45pm	Su	\$90
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Meadowbrook School's Out Basketball

School is out and Meadowbrook is open for action with all of the excitement of an entire season packed into one, fun-filled day. Players, improve your skills and make new friends while enjoying a high-energy basketball experience. Our skilled coaches use a variety of creative drills, challenging exercises, exciting games and scrimmages to help elevate your game. Info: Greg Meyd, 410-313-1162 or gmeyd@howardcountymd.gov.

9-14 yrs Classes: 1

RP7020.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 10	8am-5pm	M	\$64
RP7020.102	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 19	8am-5pm	W	\$64
RP7020.103	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Oct 19	8am-5pm	F	\$64
RP7020.104	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 6	8am-5pm	Tu	\$64
RP7020.105	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 7	8am-5pm	W	\$64
RP7020.106	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 21	8am-5pm	W	\$64

Basketball Skills Training

Enhance your basketball skills in this clinic! Join certified coaches as they instruct you on proper mechanics, footwork, and conditioning. This clinic focuses on skill development and helping you advance your game to the next level. Info: Ray Hall, 410-313-1689 or arhall@howardcountymd.gov.

14-18 yrs Meadowbrook Ath Comp Classes: 6

RP6410.101	Girls	Sep 16	1-2:30pm	Su	\$70
RP6410.102	Boys	Sep 16	2:30-4pm	Su	\$70

Youth Leagues

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Youth Basketball League (YBL) **flickr**

Boys and girls, come have fun playing basketball while learning the fundamentals of the game! Focus on skill development, sportsmanship, basketball knowledge, and fun! Enjoy a "GoodSports" atmosphere through certified volunteer coaches, league staff and facilities. League features one weeknight practice and one game per week. Every player is guaranteed to participate in each game. The YBL is for novice to experienced players who wish to learn while playing in a recreational atmosphere. Volunteer head coaches are needed and volunteer assistant coaches welcomed. Games and practices are played at Meadowbrook Athletic Complex, the North Laurel and Roger Carter Community Centers, or Howard County Public Schools.

Info: www.howardcountymd.gov/basketball.

Fall Season (5-8 yrs): The season consists of a weekly, evening practice and seven league games starting **September 8**. One-hour games are scheduled on Saturdays between 8am-1pm. Players receive a medal and a jersey. League Director contacts participants regarding practice days/times by Thursday September 6. Registration deadline: August 29. Special requests are not accepted. Info: Carson Nickell, 410-313-4720 or cjnickell@howardcountymd.gov.

RP5600.101	5-6 yrs	\$89	RP5600.111 (Head Coach's Child)	\$30
RP5600.102	6-7 yrs	\$89	RP5600.112 (Head Coach's Child)	\$30
RP5600.103	7-8 yrs	\$89	RP5600.113 (Head Coach's Child)	\$30

Fall Season (9-14 yrs): The fall season consists of one weekly evening practice beginning the week of **September 17** in addition to six league games, and ending with a single-elimination tournament. One-hour, full court, officiated games are held on Friday nights starting between 6-9pm. Specific details on practice and game times/locations are communicated after the preseason skills assessment on 9/4, 9/5, 9/6, 9/7, or 9/8. Registration deadline: August 29. No special requests accepted. Info/volunteer to coach: Info: Ray Hall, 410-313-1689 or arhall@howardcountymd.gov.

RP6184.101	9-10 yrs	Boys	\$149	RP6184.103 (Head Coach's Child)	\$49
RP6184.131	9-11 yrs	Girls	\$149	RP6184.133 (Head Coach's Child)	\$49
RP6184.111	11-12 yrs	Boys	\$149	RP6184.113 (Head Coach's Child)	\$49
RP6184.132	12-14 yrs	Girls	\$149	RP6184.133 (Head Coach's Child)	\$49
RP6184.121	13-14 yrs	Boys	\$149	RP6184.123 (Head Coach's Child)	\$49

Winter Season (5-8 yrs): The season consists of a weekly, evening practice and eight league games starting **January 5**. One-hour games are scheduled on Saturdays between 8am-1pm. Players receive a medal and a jersey. League Director contacts participants regarding practice days/times by Friday, December 28. Registration deadline: December 23. Special requests are not accepted. Info: Carson Nickell, 410-313-4720 or cjnickell@howardcountymd.gov.

RP5600.201	5-6 yrs	\$95	RP5600.211 (Head Coach's Child)	\$30
RP5600.202	6-7 yrs	\$95	RP5600.212 (Head Coach's Child)	\$30
RP5600.203	7-8 yrs	\$95	RP5600.213 (Head Coach's Child)	\$30

Winter Season (9-14 yrs): The winter season consists of one weekly evening practice in addition to six league games, and ending with a single-elimination tournament. Practices start on **December 15**. One-hour, full court, officiated games are held on Saturdays. Specific details on practice and game times/locations are communicated after the preseason skills assessment on December 3-8. Registration deadline: November 30. No special requests accepted. Teams from established organizations may be eligible to participate in the Alliance Division of the YBL. Info/volunteer to coach: Ray Hall, 410-313-1689 or arhall@howardcountymd.gov.

RP6184.201	9-10 yrs	Boys	\$149	RP6184.203 (Head Coach's Child)	\$49
RP6184.231	9-11 yrs	Girls	\$149	RP6184.233 (Head Coach's Child)	\$49
RP6184.211	11-12 yrs	Boys	\$149	RP6184.213 (Head Coach's Child)	\$49
RP6184.232	12-14 yrs	Girls	\$149	RP6184.233 (Head Coach's Child)	\$49
RP6184.221	13-14 yrs	Boys	\$149	RP6184.223 (Head Coach's Child)	\$49



Block, run, shoot, and play at the Meadowbrook Athletic Complex.

Fall & Winter High School Basketball League (Boys & Girls)

Fine-tune your skills before try-outs and the start of the season! Coaches and players are encouraged to register as a school or organizational team. HCRP forms teams from individual registrants. Games are played on Saturdays between 9am-3pm. If there are not enough players for four teams in the division, the division has the option of changing to an instructional league. This option includes a two-hour clinic once a week, with the first hour being a practice and second hour being scrimmages. Info: Greg Meyd, 410-313-1162 or gmeyd@howardcountymd.gov.

Fall League: For individual registrants, the pre-season skills assessment is on 9/15. Registration deadline is 9/13. This fall league consists of six games.

Grades 9-12	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Games start Sep 22	9am-3pm	Sa
RP6403.103	Boys Individual	\$85	RP6403.104	Girls Individual \$85
Team Registration \$450				
RP6403.101	Boys		RP6403.102	Girls

Winter League: For individual registrants, the pre-season skills assessment is on 1/5. Registration deadline is 1/3. This winter league includes 6 games and play-offs.

Grades 9-12	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Games start Jan 12	9am-3pm	Sa
RP6403.201	Boys Individual	\$95	RP6403.202	Girls Individual \$95

Adult

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Winter Classic 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament

This 3-on-3 tournament crowns a new champion in Howard County. Group and elimination rounds take place on Saturday, December 8. Teams provide uniforms. Fee includes three-game minimum, referees, awards, and administration. Info: Carson Nickell, 410-313-4720 or cjnickell@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs +

RP5605.201	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Dec 8	9am-4pm	Sa	\$105
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CONCUSSION & SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST INFO

Read concussion and sudden cardiac arrest information on page 70. Review of this information is required by law before you are allowed to register for youth sports programs.



Jump, catch and run while having fun during a dodgeball game.

Cricket

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New! Youth Cricket League

Each session consists of instruction, drills and matches. Sessions are held on synthetic turf cricket pitches at Schooley Mill Park and/or Murray Hill Middle School. Info: Patrick McGinnis, 410-313-4716 or pmcginnis@howardcountymd.gov.

7-10 yrs Classes: 12

RP5976.101 Murray Hill MS Aug 22 6-8pm W \$150

11-15 yrs Classes: 12

RP5976.102 Schooley Mill Pk Aug 22 6-8pm W \$150

Adult Cricket League Fall Season

Recreation & Parks is excited to offer our area's most competitive Adult Cricket League! Matches are played at Schooley Mill Park and Murray Hill Middle School on Saturdays and Sundays (balanced, rotating schedule, starting between 8am-3pm). Games are 20 overs and limited to three hours in length. Maximum roster is 20 players per team; games are played with 11 players a side. Fee includes game schedule, playoffs, awards, field rental and administration. (No session 9/1, 9/2.) Info: Patrick McGinnis, 410-313-4716 or pmcginnis@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 38

RP5975.101 Schooley Mill Pk Aug 4 8am-8pm Su,Sa \$330

Dodgeball

After-School Dodgeball flickr

This is a great way for all ability levels to stay active, be a part of a team, and have fun! Learn and play variations of dodgeball. Worried about safety? We use foam balls (gator skin) that are designed for accuracy and minimize the risk of injury. Meet coaches in the gym. (No class 10/3, 11/19-22.) Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

7-10 yrs Session 1 Classes: 6

RP6200.101 Fulton ES Sep 17 4-5pm M \$54

RP6200.102 Meadowbrook Ath Comp Sep 18 4:10-5:05pm Tu \$50

RP6200.104 Bushy Pk ES Sep 20 3:55-4:55pm Th \$54

7-10 yrs Session 1 Classes: 5

RP6200.103 Elkridge ES Sep 26 4-5pm W \$45

7-10 yrs Session 2 Classes: 6

RP6200.105 Jeffers Hill ES Nov 5 3:35-4:35pm M \$54

RP6200.108 Fulton ES Nov 8 4-5pm Th \$54

7-10 yrs Session 2 Classes: 5

RP6200.106 Clemens Crossing ES Nov 13 3:50-4:50pm Tu \$45

RP6200.107 Clarksville ES Nov 14 4-5pm W \$45

Fencing

Fencing with Tejav Safai

Learn the ancient "art of the sword" with the modern sport of fencing in the English tradition of swordplay. Novice fencers learn elements of footwork and lunging, basic defenses and simple attacks. Intermediate fencers are introduced to variable footwork, secondary defensive moves and compound attacks that apply intricate blade and point control for purposeful results. All equipment for the class is provided. Instructor Tejav Safai has over 45 years of experience as a fencer and 14 years of coaching experience. (No class 11/24.) Info: Jamie Brentlinger, 410-313-1665 or jrbrentlinger@howardcountymd.gov.

7-18 yrs Schooley Mill Activity Room Classes: 10

RP8830.101 Novice Sep 29 9-10:30am Sa \$115

RP8830.102 Intermediate Sep 29 10:45am-12:15pm Sa \$115

Drop-In Co-Rec Basketball

Join athletes of all ability levels for basketball scrimmages. Choose the night and location that best works for you. Games are self-officiated and site staff help form balanced teams. Driver's license required for admission. Refer to the "Get Active Package" on page 9 to save money and participate in additional athletic opportunities. Some gyms may be canceled due to insufficient registration or attendance. (No class 9/10, 9/19, 11/6.) Info: Susan Markovitz, 410-313-4674 or samarkovitz@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 10

RP6900.101 Rockburn ES Sep 17 8-10pm M \$44

RP6900.102 Meadowbrook Ath Comp Sep 12 9-11pm W \$44

30 yrs + Classes: 10

RP6900.111 Bonnie Branch MS Sep 17 8-10pm M \$44

RP6900.112 Bonnie Branch MS Sep 13 8-10pm Th \$44

RP6900.113 Reservoir HS Sep 11 8-10pm Tu \$44

RP6900.114 Reservoir HS Sep 13 8-10pm Th \$44

30 yrs + Classes: 44

RP6900.127 Lake Elkhorn MS Sep 9 6-10pm Su,Tu,Th \$55

Fall & Winter League Basketball flickr

Pull down some boards, tickle the twine or dish out some assists. Our goal is to place your team in a division of similar skills. All teams participate in postseason playoffs. Fee includes officials, staff, awards, equipment, facility rental and administration. Games are played at Meadowbrook Athletic Complex, North Laurel Community Center and Roger Carter Community Center. League refund policy is on page 71. Info: Mark Pendleton, 410-313-4703 or mpendleton@howardcountymd.gov.

Fall League: Register by September 14. Register by September 7 to receive 5% off.

18 yrs +

RP5080.101 Men's Sep 25 7-11pm Tu \$645 Weeks: 8

RP5080.103 Men's Sep 26 8-11pm W \$645 Weeks: 7

RP5080.104 Men's Sep 27 8-11pm Th \$645 Weeks: 8

RP5080.105 Women's Sep 27 8-11pm Th \$645 Weeks: 8

30 yrs +

RP5080.102 Men's Sep 25 7-11pm Tu \$645 Weeks: 8

Winter League: Register by December 14. Register by December 7 to receive 5% off.

18 yrs +

RP5080.201 Men's Jan 8 7-11pm Tu \$645 Weeks: 9

RP5080.203 Men's Jan 9 8-11pm W \$645 Weeks: 8

RP5080.204 Men's Jan 10 8-11pm Th \$645 Weeks: 8

RP5080.205 Women's Jan 10 8-11pm Th \$645 Weeks: 8

30 yrs +

RP5080.202 Men's Jan 8 7-11pm Tu \$645 Weeks: 8



Come play field hockey! We have intro lessons through league play available.

Intro to Fencing (Youth & Adult)

Work with the highly experienced, professional coaches from Baltimore Fencing Center as they instruct you in this exciting modern sport, based upon the serious swordplay of the past. Instructors use both traditional drilling techniques and games to help students learn basic footwork, blade work and boutting skills. Info: Jamie Brentlinger, 410-313-1665 or jbrentlinger@howardcountymd.gov.

8-12 yrs	Youth	Classes: 8
RP8840.101	Baltimore Fencing Ctr Columbia	Sep 13 6-7pm Th \$110
13 yrs +	Adults	Classes: 8
RP8840.110	Baltimore Fencing Ctr Columbia	Sep 10 7-8pm M \$110

Field Hockey

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Introduction to Field Hockey

Tired of the same traditional sports? Want to experience a new challenge? Field hockey is the hottest craze and keeps growing in popularity! This introductory program provides youth with a strong foundation of skills that may lead into a lifetime of field hockey. The program focuses on a fun method of teaching skills through small games. The goal is to start young, have fun and love the game! Participants must provide field hockey stick, mouth guard, shin guards, and ASTM certified eye protection. Please bring a reusable water bottle. Fee includes t-shirt, supplies and administration. Info: Susan Markovitz, 410-313-4674 or samarkovitz@howardcountymd.gov.

6-10 yrs	Classes: 6
RP5266.101	Atholton HS Sep 9 3:30-5pm Su \$89

Middle School Instructional Field Hockey Clinic

Novice and experienced players, come compete in this instructional recreational clinic. Program consists of fundamental instruction through drills and skill work. First hour of session is instruction, followed by scrimmages. Instructors are varsity field hockey coaches and players. Participants must provide field hockey stick, mouth guard, shin guards, and ASTM certified eye protection. Bring re-usable water bottle. Fee includes t-shirt, supplies, and administration. Info: Susan Markovitz, 410-313-4674 or samarkovitz@howardcountymd.gov.

10 1/2-14	Classes: 6
RP5260.101	Atholton HS Sep 9 1-3pm Su \$89

Winter Indoor Field Hockey League

Join this fast-paced league! Play on regulation-size courts with an optimal, indoor playing surface. Compete in two 25-minute, 6 vs. 6 games per night. Indoor stick, mouth guard, and shin guards required. Outdoor sticks not permitted. Teams must have a goalie; goalies must provide own equipment. Registration includes team shirt, facilities and paid officials. Games are on Sunday afternoons/evenings. Only team registrations accepted. Individuals interested in playing may contact the league coordinator. Teams must have a manager or coach in our Coaches Registry. League Director approves team registrations from community sports organizations and independent clubs upon application to ensure a competitive balance of play. (No class 12/23, 12/30, 1/6, 2/3, 2/17.) Registration deadline is November 9. Info: Susan Markovitz, 410-313-4674 or samarkovitz@howardcountymd.gov.

10 1/2-14 yrs	Middle School Division	Classes: 8
RP5268.201	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Dec 9 4-7pm Su \$880
14-17 yrs	High School Division	Classes: 8
RP5269.201	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Dec 9 6-10pm Su \$880

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Read concussion and sudden cardiac arrest information on page 70. Review of this information is required by law before you are allowed to register for youth sports programs.

Floor Hockey

Kiddie Floor Hockey flickr

Come learn how to play hockey! This first-time/beginner level class does not involve checking. Learn and improve skills, including puck/ball control, passing, shooting, teamwork and game play. Shin guards are recommended. (No class 10/3, 11/19-22.) Meet in the gym. Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

5-7 yrs	Session 1	Classes: 6
RP6265.101	Bellow Springs ES	Sep 17 5-6 pm M \$54
RP6265.102	Rockburn ES	Sep 18 4:30-5:30pm Tu \$54
RP6265.104	Manor Woods ES	Sep 20 4:25-5:25 pm Th \$54
5-7 yrs	Session 1	Classes: 5
RP6265.103	Hammond ES	Sep 26 4:40-5:40pm W \$45
5-7 yrs	Session 2	Classes: 6
RP6265.105	Clarksville ES	Nov 5 5-6pm M \$54
RP6265.108	Hammond ES	Nov 8 4:40-5:40pm Th \$54
5-7 yrs	Session 2	Classes: 5
RP6265.106	Atholton ES	Nov 13 4:55-5:55pm Tu \$45
RP6265.107	Fulton ES	Nov 14 5-6 pm W \$45

After-School Floor Hockey

This fast-paced, fun, beginner hockey class does not involve checking. Learn and improve skills including puck/ball control, passing, shooting, teamwork and game play. Meet in the gym. Shin guards are recommended. (No class 10/3, 11/19-22.) Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

8-10 yrs	Session 1	Classes: 6
RP6263.101	Bellow Springs ES	Sep 17 4-5pm M \$54
RP6263.102	Rockburn ES	Sep 18 3:25-4:25pm Tu \$54
RP6263.104	Manor Woods ES	Sep 20 3:20-4:20 pm Th \$54
8-10 yrs	Session 1	Classes: 5
RP6263.103	Hammond ES	Sep 26 3:35-4:35pm W \$45
8-10 yrs	Session 2	Classes: 6
RP6263.105	Clarksville ES	Nov 5 4-5pm M \$54
RP6263.108	Hammond ES	Nov 8 3:35-4:35pm Th \$54
8-10 yrs	Session 2	Classes: 5
RP6263.106	Atholton ES	Nov 13 3:50-4:50pm Tu \$45
RP6263.107	Fulton ES	Nov 14 4-5pm W \$45

Please bring a reusable water bottle to class.



Boys and girls alike enjoy flag football. It's fun and great exercise.

Flag Football

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Fall NFL Flag Football **flickr**

Boys and girls, come play flag football while working on basic skills. Fifty-minute games are 5-on-5 and non-contact. Games played on Saturdays, at Hollifield Station ES. in Ellicott City beginning September. Practice is one hour, once a week on a weeknight, except at age 5-6 which practices on Saturdays at Hollifield Station ES followed by a game. Practices begin at least one week before games. Games are one hour, between 9am-5pm. The Department forms teams; special requests not guaranteed. Coaches meeting to form teams is by August 25. Fee includes team shirt and participation award. Coaches contact participants regarding practice day/time one week before practice begins. Indicate when registering if you cannot practice on a particular day. Head coaches are needed and receives a discount and a guaranteed spot on parent's team. Register by practice location (Ellicott City practices are at Meadowbrook Park fields). No team entries. To ensure fair and equal balanced teams special request are not honored. Info: Sandra Lambert, 410-313-4715 or slambert@howardcountymd.gov.

5-6 yrs Sep 15 9-11:30am Sa

This is a Saturday morning program only. No weeknight practices.

Hollifield Station ES	\$125	Head Coach's Child	\$99
RP6300.101		RP6300.102	

5-15 yrs Sep 15 Noon-4pm Sa

Practices are one hour, once a week on a weeknight, starting at least one week before games begins. Register by practice location.

Columbia	\$125	Head Coach's Child	\$99
RP6300.111	7-9 yrs	RP6300.112	
RP6300.121	10-12 yrs	RP6300.122	
RP6300.131	13-15 yrs	RP6300.132	
Dayton Oaks	\$125	Head Coach's Child	\$99
RP6300.103	5-6 yrs	RP6300.106	
RP6300.113	7-9 yrs	RP6300.114	
RP6300.123	10-12 yrs	RP6300.124	
RP6300.133	13-15 yrs	RP6300.134	
Meadowbrook	\$125	Head Coach's Child	\$99
RP6300.115	7-9 yrs	RP6300.116	
RP6300.125	10-12 yrs	RP6300.126	
RP6300.135	13-15 yrs	RP6300.136	

Flag Football Winter on the Turf

Boys and girls, play games on the turf field inside the Volleyball/Soccer House in Elkridge. Novices to experienced players, learn and play the sport in a safe, fun environment. Scrimmage/games are 5-on-5 and non-contact. Practice and/or game are up to one hour, once a week, beginning week of December 8, 2018. The first-three weeks are practice, followed by 7 weeks of games only. You are notified of your first practice time, at least one weeks before play. Games begin in January. (No practices 12/22.) Volunteer head coaches are needed and their child receives a discount and a guaranteed spot on parent's team. Fee includes indoor facility, t-shirt and medal. Register by Dec 15 or until section fills. Age determination date is September 1, 2018. Info: Sandra Lambert, 410-313-4715 or slambert@howardcountymd.gov.

5-6 yrs	Volleyball House	Dec 8	8:30-10:15am	Sa	Classes: 11
RP6305.201	\$135	RP6305.202 (Head Coach's Child)	\$99		
7-10 yrs	Volleyball House	Dec 8	10:15am-1pm	Sa	Classes: 11
RP6305.211	\$135	RP6305.212 (Head Coach's Child)	\$99		
10-13 yrs	Volleyball House	Dec 8	1-4:30pm	Sa	Classes: 11
RP6305.221	\$135	RP6305.222 (Head Coach's Child)	\$99		
13-16 yrs	Volleyball House	Dec 8	4:30-6:30pm	Sa	Classes: 11
RP6305.231	\$135	RP6305.232 (Head Coach's Child)	\$99		

After-School Flag Football

Fall means football! Boys and girls, learn and improve skills by focusing on the fundamentals of passing, catching, running routes and team play, all in a fun and exciting environment. Apply your skills during scrimmages. Meet outside school office; coaches escort players to field. (No class 10/3.) Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

8-10 yrs

RP6031.101	Jeffers Hill ES	Sep 17	3:35-4:35pm	M	\$54	Classes: 6
RP6031.102	Elkridge ES	Sep 18	4-5pm	Tu	\$54	Classes: 6
RP6031.104	Lisbon ES	Sep 20	3:15-4:15pm	Th	\$54	Classes: 6
RP6031.103	Thunder Hill ES	Sep 26	4-5pm	W	\$45	Classes: 5

Kiddie Flag Football

Fall means football! Boys and girls, learn or improve skills focusing on the fundamentals of passing, catching, running routes and team play in a fun and exciting environment. Players apply their skills during scrimmages. Meet on the field. (No class 10/3.) Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

5-7 yrs

RP6030.101	Jeffers Hill ES	Sep 17	4:40-5:40pm	M	\$54	Classes: 6
RP6030.102	Elkridge ES	Sep 18	5-6pm	Tu	\$54	Classes: 6
RP6030.104	Lisbon ES	Sep 20	3:20-4:20pm	Th	\$54	Classes: 6
RP6030.103	Thunder Hill ES	Sep 26	5-6pm	W	\$45	Classes: 5

Sunday Flag Football on the Turf

Boys and girls, learn and play games on Sundays at the turf field inside the Volleyball/Soccer House in Elkridge. Novices to experienced players, learn and play the sport in a safe, fun environment. Scrimmage/games are 7-on-7 and non-contact. Practice and/or game are up to one hour, once a week, beginning 12/10, between 12:30-5:30pm. You are notified of your practice time, at least two weeks before play. The first three weeks are clinic/practice. Games begin in January. (No practices 12/24-Dec 31.) Age appropriate teams are formed by the department. Volunteer head coaches are needed and their child receives a discount and a guaranteed spot on parent's team. Limited spots! Fee includes t-shirt and medal. Registration accepted until 12/15 or until filled. Age determination date is 9/1/2018. Info: Sandra Lambert, 410-313-4715 or slambert@howardcountymd.gov

7-10 yrs	Volleyball House	Dec 10	12:30pm-5:30pm	Su	Classes: 10
RP6300.241	\$135	RP6300.242 (Head Coach's Child)	\$99		
10-13 yrs	Volleyball House	Dec 9	12:30-5:30pm	Su	Classes: 10
RP6300.243	\$135	RP6300.244 (Head Coach's Child)	\$99		

Football

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Fall Co-Rec Football League

Enjoy playing this fast-action, non-contact, no-blocking, touch football league. Teams play 8-on-8. At least 3 women must be on the field. Teams provide own uniforms and football. Schedule includes eight games plus playoffs. All teams qualify for playoffs. Fee includes eight-game schedule, playoffs, awards, field rental, and administration. Teams are responsible for \$34 referee fee paid on-site to referee crew at each game (regular season only). If a team forfeits, it must pay the referees for forfeited game (\$68) prior to its next scheduled game. Failure to do so results in that team's removal from the league without refund. Team managers are updated with a league packet one week prior to start of games. Register by August 21. Info: Will Dunmore, 410-313-1697 or wdunmore@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 8

RP5301.101 Blandair Pk Aug 28 6:30-9:30pm Tu \$300

Men's Run & Shoot Football League

Enthusiasts, come play this fast-action, low-contact version of touch football. Teams play six on defense and five on offense. Fee includes a six-game schedule, playoffs, awards, field rental, and administration. Teams provide uniforms and an official NFL-sized football. All teams qualify for playoffs. Team managers are updated with a league packet one week prior to start of games. Registration deadline: August 6. (No session 9/2.) Info: Will Dunmore, 410-313-1697 or wdunmore@howardcountymd.gov.

RP5300.101 18 yrs + Rockburn Branch Pk Aug 12 8am-2pm Su \$300

RP5300.201 18 yrs + Rockburn Branch Pk Jan 6 9am-2pm Su \$230

For information about our Tackle Football and Cheer programs please call 410-313-4700 or email wdunmore@howardcountymd.gov for a flier or for information

Golf

Youth

Junior Golf flickr

Beginners welcome! This introduction to the game includes swing fundamentals, rules and etiquette. No equipment or experience necessary. Ball fee: \$15 at first class. Info: Krista Billingsley, 410-313-4637 or kbillingsley@howardcountymd.gov.

7-17 yrs Classes: 4

RP6320.106 Fairway Hills Golf Course Sep 22 1-2pm Sa \$82

RP6320.107 Fairway Hills Golf Course Sep 23 1-2pm Su \$82

7-17 yrs Classes: 5

RP6320.101 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 22 9-9:45am Sa \$82

RP6320.102 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 22 Noon-12:45pm Sa \$82

RP6320.103 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 24 4:30-5:15pm M \$82

RP6320.104 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 26 4:30-5:15pm W \$82

RP6320.105 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 28 4:30-5:15pm F \$82

Adults

Celebration of Sports Golf Tournament

Celebrate community sports and enjoy a day on the links. Fee includes lunch, green fees, cart, use of driving range, awards and hole prizes. Format is best ball scramble. Register before or on-site by 8am, shotgun starts at 9am. Info: Mike Blevins, 410-313-1691.

18 yrs +

RP6601.101 Timbers at Troy Foursome Oct 12 9am-3:30pm F \$340

RP6601.102 Timbers at Troy Individual Oct 12 9am-3:30pm F \$85



Come work on putting, chipping, and full swings with both irons and woods on a golf course near your home.

Fairway Hills Golf Lessons

These small-group, beginner lessons include putting, chipping and full swing with both irons and woods. Ball fee (\$15) due at first lesson; no clubs required. Info: Krista Billingsley, 410-313-4637 or kbillingsley@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Beginner Classes: 4

RP6321.101 Fairway Hills Golf Course Sep 23 10-11am Su \$82

RP6321.103 Fairway Hills Golf Course Sep 25 11am-noon Tu \$82

RP6321.104 Fairway Hills Golf Course Sep 26 4-5pm W \$82

RP6321.105 Fairway Hills Golf Course Sep 27 11am-noon Th \$82

18 yrs + Advanced Beginner Classes: 4

RP6321.102 Fairway Hills Golf Course Sep 24 4-5pm M \$82

Timbers at Troy Golf Lessons

Enjoy small group lessons for beginners and advanced beginners that include iron play, driving, putting and more. Ball fee (\$15) due at first lesson; no clubs required. Info: Krista Billingsley, 410-313-4637 or kbillingsley@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Beginner Classes: 5

RP6324.101 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 22 10-10:45am Sa \$82

RP6324.102 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 24 5:30-6:15pm M \$82

RP6324.103 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 26 5:30-6:15pm W \$82

RP6324.104 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 28 5:30-6:15pm F \$82

18 yrs + Advanced Beginner Classes: 5

RP6324.111 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 22 11-11:45am Sa \$82

RP6324.112 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 24 6:30-7:15pm M \$82

RP6324.113 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 26 6:30-7:15pm W \$82

RP6324.114 Timbers at Troy Golf Course Sep 28 6:30-7:15pm F \$82

CONCUSSION & SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST INFO

Read concussion and sudden cardiac arrest information on page 70. Review of this information is required by law before you are allowed to register for youth sports programs.

Please bring a reusable water bottle to class.



What's more fun than an afternoon of jump rope? Come learn new skills while having a blast. Competition jump rope available!

Gymnastics

Parent/Child Gymnastics

Be an active participant as your child develops self-awareness, coordination and locomotor movement. Toddlers use a variety of gymnastics equipment, songs, games and climbing activities in a fun and supportive atmosphere. Adult and child must register together. Child must be walking. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

1½-3½ yrs Classes: 6

RP6351.101	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 6	10-10:45am	Th	\$105
RP6351.102	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 7	10-10:45am	F	\$105
RP6351.103	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 25	10-10:45am	Th	\$105
RP6351.104	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 26	10-10:45am	F	\$105

Preschool Gymnastics

In this introduction to gymnastics, boys and girls develop strength coordination and loco-motor movement, listening skills, and cooperation. Participants use all types of gymnastics and physical education equipment including bars, beams, mats, trampolines and a foam training pit. Emphasis is on fun in a safe and supportive atmosphere. Diapers or pull-ups are not allowed. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

3-5 yrs Classes: 6

RP6352.101	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 10	5-5:45pm	M	\$105
RP6352.102	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 4	1-1:45pm	Tu	\$105
RP6352.103	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 4	1:45-2:30pm	Tu	\$105
RP6352.104	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 4	2:30-3:15pm	Tu	\$105
RP6352.105	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 4	4:30-5:15pm	Tu	\$105
RP6352.106	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 5	9:15-10am	W	\$105
RP6352.107	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 5	1-1:45pm	W	\$105
RP6352.108	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 5	1:45-2:30pm	W	\$105
RP6352.109	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 5	2:30-3:15pm	W	\$105
RP6352.110	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 5	4:30-5:15pm	W	\$105
RP6352.111	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 6	9:15-10am	Th	\$105
RP6352.112	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 6	10:45-11:30am	Th	\$105
RP6352.113	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 6	1:15-2pm	Th	\$105
RP6352.114	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 7	9:15-10am	F	\$105
RP6352.115	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 7	10:45-11:30am	F	\$105

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Read concussion and sudden cardiac arrest information on page 70. Review of this information is required by law before you are allowed to register for youth sports programs.

RP6352.116	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 8	Noon-12:45pm	Sa	\$105
RP6352.117	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 22	5-5:45pm	M	\$105
RP6352.118	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 23	1-1:45pm	Tu	\$105
RP6352.119	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 23	1:45-2:30pm	Tu	\$105
RP6352.120	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 23	2:30-3:15pm	Tu	\$105
RP6352.121	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 23	4:30-5:15pm	Tu	\$105
RP6352.122	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 24	9:15-10am	W	\$105
RP6352.123	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 24	1-1:45pm	W	\$105
RP6352.124	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 24	1:45-2:30pm	W	\$105
RP6352.125	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 24	2:30-3:15pm	W	\$105
RP6352.126	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 24	4:30-5:15pm	W	\$105
RP6352.127	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 25	9:15-10am	Th	\$105
RP6352.128	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 25	10:45-11:30am	Th	\$105
RP6352.129	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 25	1:15-2pm	Th	\$105
RP6352.130	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 26	9:15-10am	F	\$105
RP6352.131	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 26	10:45-11:30am	F	\$105
RP6352.132	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 27	Noon-12:45pm	Sa	\$105

Beginning Gymnastics flickr

Enjoy an introduction to the beginning skills and progressions of the vault, uneven bars, balance beam and floor exercise using a variety of equipment including trampolines and a foam training pit. Develop your confidence, fitness, strength and flexibility in a fun, supportive environment. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

6-12 yrs Boys Classes: 6

RP6353.101	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 6	6:30-7:30pm	Th	\$111
RP6353.102	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 25	6:30-7:30pm	Th	\$111

6-12 yrs Girls Classes: 6

RP6353.111	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 4	4:30-5:30pm	Tu	\$111
RP6353.112	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 6	6:30-7:30pm	Th	\$111
RP6353.113	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 7	6:30-7:30pm	F	\$111
RP6353.114	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 8	10-11am	Sa	\$111
RP6353.115	Columbia Gymnastics	Sep 8	11:45am-12:45pm	Sa	\$111
RP6353.116	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 23	4:30-5:30pm	Tu	\$111
RP6353.117	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 25	6:30-7:30pm	Th	\$111
RP6353.118	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 26	6:30-7:30pm	F	\$111
RP6353.119	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 27	10-11am	Sa	\$111
RP6353.120	Columbia Gymnastics	Oct 27	11:45am-12:45pm	Sa	\$111

Jump Rope

Junior Jumpers with Kangaroo Kids flickr

This beginning jump rope class is all about fun and fitness. Jumpers learn basic single rope, Double Dutch and long rope skills. Jump rope fee: \$9 for first-time participants due at first class. Returning jumpers should bring their beaded jump ropes. (No class 10/31, 11/21.) Info: Will Dunmore, 410-313-1697 or wdunmore@howardcountymd.gov.

6-14 yrs Classes: 12

RP6361.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 11	4:25-5:25pm	Tu	\$175
RP6361.102	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 11	5:30-6:30pm	Tu	\$175
RP6361.103	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 12	4:25-5:25pm	W	\$175
RP6361.104	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 12	5:30-6:30pm	W	\$175

Intermediate Jumpers with the Kangaroo Kids

Jumpers build on basic single and long rope skills and are introduced to precision group routines. Prerequisite: Minimum two sessions of Junior Jumpers and/or coach's approval. (No class 10/31, 11/21.) Info: Will Dunmore, 410-313-1697 or wdunmore@howardcountymd.gov.

6-14 yrs Classes: 12

RP6363.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 11	4:25-5:25pm	Tu	\$175
RP6363.102	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 11	5:30-6:30pm	Tu	\$175
RP6363.103	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 12	4:25-5:25pm	W	\$175

Preparation to Perform with Kangaroo Kids

Jumpers with a desire to ultimately perform at public events, build on your single and long rope skills, learn precision routines and develop showmanship skills. No performing requirements. Prerequisite: Minimum of two sessions of Intermediate Jumpers and/or coach's approval. (No class 10/31, 11/21.) Info: Will Dunmore, 410-313-1697 or wdunmore@howardcountymd.gov.

8-16 yrs Classes: 12

RP6364.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 11	4:25-5:25pm	Tu	\$175
RP6364.102	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 12	5:30-6:30pm	W	\$175

Jump Rope Fit for Adults

Jump into fitness! Increase cardiorespiratory endurance, balance, coordination, and agility! Class is great cross training for basketball, soccer, volleyball and other activities. Jump rope fee is \$9 and can be purchased at first class. Info: Will Dunmore, 410-313-1697 or wdunmore@howardcountymd.gov.

16 yrs + Classes: 12

RP6369.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 11	5:30-6:30pm	Tu	\$176
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Kickball

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Fall Co-Rec Kickball League

Here's your chance to leave the office and return to the playground! Anyone can play, no skill-set required besides enthusiasm and teamwork. Games are played as doubleheaders for a minimum of 16 games. Every team is eligible for a postseason tournament. Teams can have up to 16 players per roster. League fee includes umpires, three balls, league administration and field and light use. For league rules/info: www.howardcountymd.gov/kickball. Info: Patrick McGinnis, 410-313-4716, or pmcginnis@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Games are played at county parks. Classes: 8

RP5830.101	Aug 15	6-10pm	W	\$540
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Lacrosse

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Youth

Mighty LAXers Lacrosse flickr

Calling all Mighty LAXers! This high energy curriculum introduces children to important fundamentals of lacrosse such as scooping, cradling, and shooting. Age appropriate equipment is used to provide children with a safe and fun experience in every LAXers class! Parents are also encouraged to follow the coach's instructions to assist in the games and activities. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

3-4 yrs Classes: 6

RP6972.101	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 17	10:30-11:15am	M	\$75
RP6972.102	Forest Ridge ES	Sep 17	5-5:45pm	M	\$75
RP6972.103	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 18	1:30-2:15pm	Tu	\$75
RP6972.104	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 18	6-6:45pm	Tu	\$75
RP6972.105	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 20	1:30-2:15pm	Th	\$75
RP6972.106	Guilford ES	Sep 22	10:30-11:15am	Sa	\$75

3-4 yrs Classes: 5

RP6972.107	Talbott Springs ES	Nov 5	5-5:45pm	M	\$63
RP6972.108	Northfield ES	Nov 14	5-5:45pm	W	\$63
RP6972.109	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 8	9:30-10:15am	Th	\$63
RP6972.110	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 8	12:30-1:15pm	Th	\$63
RP6972.111	Hollifield Station ES	Nov 10	9:30-10:15am	Sa	\$63

Kiddie Lacrosse

Come learn and develop the fundamental skills of passing, catching, cradling, defense and overall team play in a fun and encouraging environment. Meet on the field. (No class 10/3.) Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

5-7 yrs Classes: 6

RP6715.101	Veterans ES	Sep 17	5-6pm	M	\$54
RP6715.102	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 18	4:40-5:40pm	Tu	\$50
RP6715.104	Fulton ES	Sep 20	5-6pm	Th	\$54

5-7 yrs Classes: 5

RP6715.103	Bushy Pk ES	Sep 26	5-6pm	W	\$45
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Lacrosse Introduction

First-time players or those wanting to improve skills focus on lacrosse fundamentals. Program includes stick work, shooting, ground balls and basic lacrosse concepts. Fee includes t-shirt and use of lacrosse equipment. Remember to bring: reusable water bottle; sneakers; mouth guard; Participant Information Form completed and signed. (No class 2/17.) Info: Ray Hall, 410-313-1689 or arhall@howardcountymd.gov.

Cedar Lane Park West Sep 9 Su \$85 Classes: 6

5-6 yrs	9-10am	RP6505.101	Boys	RP6506.101	Girls
7-8 yrs	10:15-11:15am	RP6505.102	Boys	RP6506.102	Girls
9-10 yrs	11:30am-12:30pm	RP6505.103	Boys	RP6506.103	Girls

Meadowbrook Ath Comp Jan 13 Su \$85 Classes: 6

5-6 yrs	9-10am	RP6505.201	Boys	RP6506.201	Girls
7-8 yrs	10:15-11:15am	RP6505.202	Boys	RP6506.202	Girls
9-10 yrs	11:30am-12:30pm	RP6505.203	Boys	RP6506.203	Girls

Shooting Stars Lacrosse League

Keep your lacrosse skills sharp in this pick-up style lacrosse program. There is instruction, skill improvement, scrimmages, game situation play and more. Girls have the option playing Sundays only, Wednesdays only, or a doubling-up with both in our Combo option. Boys play Wednesdays. Girls bring stick, eye protection (mandated by U. S. Lacrosse), and mouth guard. Boys bring full equipment including: stick, helmet, arm pads, shoulder pads, gloves and mouth guard. Coach Erin Schade: erinschade@yahoo.com. Info: Ricky DuBois, 410-313-4736 rdubois@howardcountymd.gov.

7-13 yrs Girls Classes: 6

RP5506.101	Mt. Hebron HS	Sep 9	5:30-7pm	Su	\$130
RP5506.102	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 12	6-7:15pm	W	\$90

7-13 yrs Girls Combo Classes: 12

RP5506.103	Combo	See above dates & time	Su, W	\$200
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7-13 yrs Boys Classes: 6

RP5506.111	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 12	6-7:15pm	W	\$90
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Shooting Stars Girls Indoor Lacrosse League

Thursday nights at Gary J. Arthur Community Center, Glenwood (two full indoor basketball courts) This lacrosse program will be for players who want to improve their skills and further their knowledge of the game of lacrosse. The first half of each session will be a clinic and focus on skill development. The second half of each session will be games and game like situations. Anyone from beginners to advanced players can fit in as clinic time will be separated for players based on experience. General Information: Coach Erin Schade: erinschade@yahoo.com. Info: Ricky DuBois, 410-313-4736 rdubois@howardcountymd.gov.

January 4-February 8 \$170

RP5506.201	Girls 5-7yrs	5:30-6:30pm
RP5506.202	Girls 7-10yrs	6:35-7:35pm
RP5506.203	Girls 11-14 yrs	7:40-8:40pm

Please bring a reusable water bottle to class.

After-School Lacrosse

The school day is over and it's time to LAX it up! First-time players or those wanting to improve skills focus on the fundamentals of passing, catching, cradling, defense and overall team play in a fun and exciting environment. Meet outside school office; coach escorts players to the field. (No class 10/3.) Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

8-10 yrs

RP6720.101	Veterans ES	Sep 17	4-5pm	M	\$54	Classes: 6
RP6720.102	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 18	3:35-4:35pm	Tu	\$50	Classes: 6
RP6720.104	Fulton ES	Sep 20	4-5pm	Th	\$54	Classes: 6
RP6720.103	Bushy Pk ES	Sep 26	3:55-4:55pm	W	\$45	Classes: 5

Lacrosse Winter Tune-Up

Get ready for the spring season! Improve stick work, shooting, ground ball skills, and conditioning. Have fun while working on all aspects of your game. Players must provide equipment. (No class 2/17.) Info: Ray Hall, 410-313-1689 or arhall@howardcountymd.gov.

Meadowbrook Ath Comp Classes: 6

RP6503.201	7-10 yrs	Boys	Jan 13	9-10am	Su	\$85
RP6504.201	10-13 yrs	Girls	Jan 13	9-10am	Su	\$85
RP6503.202	11-14 yrs	Boys	Jan 13	10-11:15am	Su	\$85
RP6504.202	14-18 yrs	Girls	Jan 13	10-11:15am	Su	\$85

Boys High School Fall Lacrosse League

Get in on this high-scoring, fast-action league designed for high school players. Instruction is limited; basic lacrosse skills required. You're encouraged to contact your coach about entering a team. Individuals are welcome to form a team organized by HCRP. Players provide all equipment. Games start between 6-9pm and there is one or two games a week on Mondays and/or Wednesdays. Info: Ricky DuBois, 410-313-4736.

13-15 yrs Junior Varsity, Individual Registration Games: 8

RP5501.101 Sep 10 6-10pm M,W \$80

15-18 yrs Varsity, Individual Registration Games: 8

RP5501.102 Sep 10 6-10pm M,W \$80

13-15 yrs Junior Varsity, Team Registration Games: 8

RP5501.112 Sep 10 6-10pm M,W \$1,200

15-18 yrs Varsity, Team Registration Games: 8

RP5501.111 Sep 10 6-10pm M,W \$1,200

Adult

Adult Fall Lacrosse League

Lacrosse enthusiasts, work on your game in this weeknight league. Team and individual registration available (individual registrants are formed into teams to compete in league play). Teams play an eight-game schedule and are eligible for post-season playoffs. Teams are required to provide uniforms (reversible, two-colors) and equipment. Fee includes field use, lights, supplies, administration staff and game officials. Games played weeknights on Synthetic Turf Fields in Blandair, Rockburn, Troy, Cedar Lane and Western Regional Parks. Schedules are emailed. Games start between 6-9pm and there are one or two games a week on Mondays and/or Wednesdays. Info: Ricky DuBois, 410-313-4736.

30 yrs + Classes: 8

RP5503.111 Sep 10 8-11pm M \$1,300

40 yrs + Classes: 8

RP5503.112 Sep 12 8-11pm W \$1,300

Men's Fall Pick-Up Lacrosse

Keep your lacrosse skills tuned in this fun, social, pick-up lacrosse program. Teams are split up at the beginning of each session. Referees are provided. Must bring a reversible light and dark colored jersey. Info: Ricky DuBois, 410-313-4736.

18 yrs + Classes: 6

RP5503.120 Rockburn Branch Pk Sep 19 8-10pm W \$65

Martial Arts

Youth & Adult

After-School Karate

This after-school karate program allows you to exercise while working on following directions, listening, patience and building confidence. Learn basic motion, forms, jujitsu, one-step and sparring. All levels are welcome. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

5-11 yrs Classes: 5

RP8700.101 Clemens Crossing ES Oct 4 3:50-4:35pm Th \$36

TKA Karate

Boys and girls of all skill levels, come learn karate and jujitsu. Black belt instructors emphasize safety and fun. One week is spent taking or viewing the test or participating in a refresher class. If a class is not listed as beginner or advanced, it is for all level students. (No class 9/19, 11/6-7, 11/19-22) Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

5-12 yrs Classes: 12

RP8730.101 Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr Sep 17 6:30-7:30pm M \$75

RP8730.102 Oakland Mills MS Sep 17 7-8pm M \$75

RP8730.106 Beginner Fulton ES Sep 12 6-7pm W \$75

RP8730.107 Northfield ES Sep 12 7-8pm W \$75

RP8730.108 Beginner Ilchester ES Sep 12 6-7pm W \$75

RP8730.109 Advanced Ilchester ES Sep 12 7-8pm W \$75

RP8730.110 Gorman Crossing ES Sep 20 7-8pm Th \$75

RP8730.111 Manor Woods ES Sep 20 7-8pm Th \$75

RP8730.112 Pointers Run ES Sep 20 7-8pm Th \$75

RP8730.116 Advanced Fulton ES Sep 12 7-8pm W \$75

5-12 yrs Classes: 11

RP8730.103 Beginner Worthington ES Sep 18 6-7pm Tu \$69

RP8730.105 Longfellow ES Sep 18 7-8pm Tu \$69

RP8730.113 Advanced Worthington ES Sep 18 7-8pm Tu \$69

D & S Karate

Improve coordination, confidence, flexibility, balance, agility and focus while learning the art of karate and jujitsu. Our certified black belt instructors are nationally ranked experts in martial arts and have years of classroom experience instructing children in the art of self-defense and personal accomplishment. (No class 11/19, 11/21-22) Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

6-13 yrs Classes: 12

RP8710.101 N Laurel Comm Ctr Sep 17 7-8pm M \$72

RP8710.102 Hammond ES Sep 12 7-8pm W \$72

6-13 yrs Classes: 13

RP8710.103 Centennial Lane ES Sep 13 7-8pm Th \$78

To register, visit
www.howardcountymd.gov/rap
 or call 410-313-7275.



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Kuk Sool Won with Darren Fulmore

This is a systematic study of the traditional fighting arts, which together comprise the martial arts history of Korea. This is extremely well-organized and seeks to integrate and explore the entire spectrum of established Asian fighting arts and body conditioning techniques, which consist of kicking, punching, martial acrobatics and self-defense techniques, into a beautiful and dynamic hard/soft style focusing on discipline and respect. (No class 11/20, 11/22.) Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

6 yrs + Classes: 26

RP8760.101	Beg.	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Sep 11	6:30-7:30pm	Tu,Th	\$85
RP8760.102	Adv.	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Sep 11	7:30-8:30pm	Tu,Th	\$98

Shotokan Karate with Steve Morris

Learn a repertoire of techniques and the optimal safe positions for self-defense based upon the movement of your opponent(s), all in the context of traditional Shotokan karate. Learn and master blocks, punches, kicks, throws, submissions and take-downs. Special attention is given to low-impact physical conditioning and personal safety. Sensei Steve is a master in Shotokan karate and has taught karate and self-defense in Howard County for 30 years. (No class 11/24.) Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

13 yrs + Classes: 13

RP8791.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 13	7-8pm	Th	\$95
RP8791.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 13	8:05-9:05pm	Th	\$95
RP8791.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 15	10-11am	Sa	\$95
RP8791.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 15	11:05am-12:05pm	Sa	\$95

Adult

Aikido with Ki by Russ Dauber

Martial Art and Ki training, taught by Japan's Shin Shin Toitsu Aikikai, promotes dynamic movement with unified mind and body. The Ki part is low-impact. The Aikido part involves practice with partners and rolling on mats. Effective self-defense techniques flow with and lead attackers' movements. We develop the benefits of keeping one point and extending ki. We emphasize safety, knowledge and enjoyment. (No class 11/6, 11/20, 11/22.) Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 26

RP8880.101	Ellicott Mills MS	Sep 11	7-9pm	Tu,Th	\$69
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Tai Chi

Tai Chi offers a variety of health benefits, including joint stability, balance and coordination. It improves mental focus, increases energy and releases stress. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Classes: 12

RP8850.101	Beg.	Dunloggin MS	Sep 12	7-8pm	W	\$93
RP8850.102	Adv.	Dunloggin MS	Sep 12	8:05-9:05pm	W	\$93

18 yrs + Classes: 13

RP8850.103	Beg.	Dunloggin MS	Sep 13	7-8pm	Th	\$101
RP8850.104	Adv.	Dunloggin MS	Sep 13	8:05-9:05pm	Th	\$101

TKA Karate

Develop your physical condition as you learn karate and jujitsu in a relaxed environment. One week is spent taking or viewing the test or participating in a refresher class. Wear comfortable clothing or gi. Black-belt instructors emphasize safety. (No class 9/21, 11/20-23.) Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov

13 yrs + Classes: 12

RP8731.101	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Sep 17	7:30-9pm	M	\$81
RP8731.102	Oakland Mills MS	Sep 17	8-9:30pm	M	\$81
RP8731.106	Fulton ES	Sep 12	8-9:30pm	W	\$81

RP8731.107	Northfield ES	Sep 12	8-9:30pm	W	\$81
RP8731.108	Northfield ES	Sep 12	8-9:30pm	W	\$81
RP8731.109	Gorman Crossing ES	Sep 20	8-9:30pm	Th	\$81
RP8731.110	Manor Woods ES	Sep 20	8-9:30pm	Th	\$81
RP8731.111	Pointers Run ES	Sep 20	8-9:30pm	Th	\$81

13 yrs + Classes: 11

RP8731.103	Worthington ES	Sep 18	8-9:30pm	Tu	\$74
RP8731.105	Longfellow ES	Sep 18	8-9:30pm	Tu	\$74

Multi-Sport

MAC Pre-K Drop-In Play

This fall and winter, drop-in play days are full of fun and exciting activities in a safe and non-competitive environment. The MAC staff provides equipment for activities including mini basketball, floor hockey, soccer, lacrosse, jump rope, hula-hoops, big wheel trikes, scooters, and much more! Daily fee is collected at the MAC. Parent involvement required. Info: Greg Meyd, 410-313-1162 or gmeyd@howardcountymd.gov.

2-5 yrs \$4 per parent/child per day; \$2 additional child per day

Meadowbrook Ath Comp Oct 15-Apr 30 9:30am-12:30pm M,W,F

Jump Bunch Kids

JumpBunch classes are a wonderful opportunity for parents and children to interact in a fun, engaging and noncompetitive environment during an introduction to multiple sports and fitness activities. Warm-up exercises are designed to improve balance, increase coordination and develop body awareness. This season's sports include football, soccer, hockey, basketball, volleyball and tennis. Children, enjoy using and exploring child-friendly equipment provided by JumpBunch each week while being introduced to each of these fun sports. (No class 5/26.) Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

2-3 yrs Classes: 6

RP6313.101	St. John's Lane ES	Sep 8	10-10:45am	Sa	\$75
RP6313.103	St. John's Lane ES	Oct 27	10-10:45am	Sa	\$75

3-5 yrs Classes: 6

RP6313.102	St. John's Lane ES	Sep 8	11-11:45am	Sa	\$75
RP6313.104	St. John's Lane ES	Oct 27	11-11:45am	Sa	\$75

Little Big Shots

This multi-sport program introduces children to basketball, tee ball and soccer through a curriculum full of exciting and engaging games and activities. Parents are encouraged to follow the coach's instructions to assist in the games and activities. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

3-4 yrs Classes: 6

RP6314.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 17	1:30-2:15pm	M	\$75
RP6314.102	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 18	5-5:45pm	Tu	\$75
RP6314.103	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Sep 12	12:30-1:15pm	W	\$75
RP6314.104	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 20	9:30-10:15am	Th	\$75
RP6314.105	Hollifield Station ES	Sep 22	10:30-11:15am	Sa	\$75
RP6314.106	Waterloo ES	Sep 22	1:30-2:15pm	Sa	\$75

3-4 yrs Classes: 5

RP6314.107	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 5	9:30-10:15am	M	\$63
RP6314.108	Atholton ES	Nov 13	6-6:45pm	Tu	\$63
RP6314.109	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Nov 14	1:30-2:15pm	W	\$63
RP6314.110	Cradlerock ES	Nov 10	10:30-11:15am	Sa	\$63
RP6314.111	Hammond ES	Nov 10	1:30-2:15pm	Sa	\$63

CONCUSSION & SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST INFO

Read concussion and sudden cardiac arrest information on page 70. Review of this information is required by law before you are allowed to register for youth sports programs.

School's Out Junior Sports

School is out and we're open for play! Young athletes, develop skills in any of the following sports: basketball, kickball, tee ball, soccer, tennis, flag football or floor hockey at this co-rec camp. Sports and games are adapted to the size and abilities of young children to make learning fun and foster development of motor skills. Activities take place indoors. Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

5-7 yrs Classes: 1

RP7008.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 10	8:30am-12:30pm	M	\$40
RP7008.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 19	8:30am-12:30pm	W	\$40
RP7008.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 19	8:30am-12:30pm	F	\$40
RP7008.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 6	8:30am-12:30pm	Tu	\$40
RP7008.105	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 7	8:30am-12:30pm	W	\$40

Winter Mix School's Out Program

One, two, three, or four days of fun! Participate in a wide variety of activities including sports, fitness, arts and crafts, nature, games, and special surprises. Follow an exciting daily rotation designed to allow your child to select activities of their choice to build their own program. Rotate in age- and skill-appropriate groups. The focus is on having fun, staying fit, building character, and boosting self-esteem. Bring a non-perishable lunch (no nut products) and a refillable water bottle. Register for one, two, three, or four days. Info: Greg Meyd, 410-313-1162 or gmeyd@howardcountymd.gov.

5-13 yrs Classes: 1

RP6404.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Dec 26	8am-5:30pm	W	\$65
RP6404.102	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Dec 27	8am-5:30pm	Th	\$65
RP6404.103	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Dec 28	8am-5:30pm	F	\$65
RP6404.104	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Dec 31	8am-5:30pm	M	\$65

5-13 yrs Classes: 4

RP6404.105	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Dec 26	8am-5:30pm	M,W-F	\$209
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Home School Gym Class

Join in on an exciting gym class program that meets the physical activity needs of our local home school families! We provide staff leadership and all the equipment for a variety of sport and fitness activities. Children, improve skills and learn the fundamentals of teamwork as you play basketball, soccer, volleyball, floor hockey, badminton and other sport requests the staff can accommodate. Have fun, stay fit, build character and boost self-esteem. (No class 9/26, 11/21.) Info: Greg Meyd, 410-313-1162 or gmeyd@howardcountymd.gov.

5-10 yrs Classes: 7

RP6405.101	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 5	11am-noon	W	\$64
RP6405.103	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Oct 31	11am-noon	W	\$64

11-14 yrs Classes: 7

RP6405.102	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Sep 5	11am-noon	W	\$64
RP6405.104	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Oct 31	11am-noon	W	\$64

School's Out Sports and Swim

School is out and we're open for play! Young athletes, develop skills in any of the following sports: basketball, kickball, tee ball, soccer, tennis, flag football or floor hockey at this co-rec camp. Sports and games are adapted to the size and abilities of young children to make learning fun and foster development of motor skills. Activities take place indoors. Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

8-13 yrs Classes: 1

RP7007.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 10	8:30am-6pm	M	\$70
RP7007.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 19	8:30am-6pm	W	\$70
RP7007.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Oct 19	8:30am-6pm	F	\$70
RP7007.104	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 6	8:30am-6pm	Tu	\$70
RP7007.105	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 7	8:30am-6pm	W	\$70

Obstacle Sports flickr

- In the 2020 Olympics, obstacle sports will be part of the pentathlon. Those interested in American Ninja Warrior, obstacle sports and fun, alternative exercise, are sure to find something below.
- Participation requires NinjaBE safety socks (\$2). Can purchase in advance at facility or on www.ninjabecom.com.
- Info: Jamie Brentlinger, 410-313-1665 or jbrentlinger@howardcountymd.gov.
- Must complete waiver: <https://ninjabecom.com/sign-waiver>

Preschool

Tiny Ninja

Come take a fun approach to fitness. Work on strength, conditioning, flexibility, problem solving, and coordination. Under careful supervision, navigate the Shinobi course, NinjaTrek, Interactive Rock Wall, and the Adrenalator. Trampoline work includes coordination, balance, and jumps. Obstacle course includes the ABC's: Ape, Beast, Crab, along with skipping, shuffling and learning parkour techniques on a mats. (No class 10/31, 11/21, 11/24.)

3-4 yrs Classes: 6

RP5170.101	NinjaBE	Sep 5	9-9:45am	W	\$99
RP5170.103	NinjaBE	Sep 5	10-10:45am	W	\$99
RP5170.105	NinjaBE	Sep 15	8-8:45am	Sa	\$99
RP5170.107	NinjaBE	Sep 15	9-9:45am	Sa	\$99
RP5170.109	NinjaBE	Oct 17	9-9:45am	W	\$99
RP5170.111	NinjaBE	Oct 17	10-10:45am	W	\$99
RP5170.113	NinjaBE	Oct 27	8-8:45am	Sa	\$99
RP5170.115	NinjaBE	Oct 27	9-9:45am	Sa	\$99

5-6 yrs Classes: 6

RP5170.102	NinjaBE	Sep 5	9-9:45am	W	\$99
RP5170.104	NinjaBE	Sep 5	10-10:45am	W	\$99
RP5170.106	NinjaBE	Sep 15	8-8:45am	Sa	\$99
RP5170.108	NinjaBE	Sep 15	9-9:45am	Sa	\$99
RP5170.110	NinjaBE	Oct 17	9-9:45am	W	\$99
RP5170.112	NinjaBE	Oct 17	10-10:45am	W	\$99
RP5170.114	NinjaBE	Oct 27	8-8:45am	Sa	\$99
RP5170.116	NinjaBE	Oct 27	9-9:45am	Sa	\$99

Youth

- Must be 42 inches or taller and at least 40 pounds to participate in youth and adult classes.

Obstacle Racing Training Class with NinjaBE

Learn how to master popular American Ninja Warrior Obstacles. Let our experienced instructors help you train your muscles to glide through challenging, NinjaBE obstacles. Objectively measure your improvement by timed runs through our Ninja Warrior obstacle course. Get fit and have fun at NinjaBE! (No class 10/31, 11/21, 11/22, 11/24.)

6-8 yrs Classes: 6

RP5172.101	NinjaBE	Sep 5	6-7pm	W	\$125
RP5172.104	NinjaBE	Sep 5	7-8pm	W	\$125
RP5172.105	NinjaBE	Sep 6	6-7pm	Th	\$125
RP5172.108	NinjaBE	Sep 6	7-8pm	Th	\$125
RP5172.109	NinjaBE	Sep 15	8am-9am	Sa	\$125
RP5172.112	NinjaBE	Oct 17	6-7pm	W	\$125
RP5172.116	NinjaBE	Oct 18	6-7pm	Th	\$125
RP5172.115	NinjaBE	Oct 17	7-8pm	W	\$125
RP5172.119	NinjaBE	Oct 18	7-8pm	Th	\$125
RP5172.120	NinjaBE	Oct 27	8am-9am	Sa	\$125

9-11 yrs Classes: 6

RP5172.102	NinjaBE	Sep 5	6-7pm	W	\$125
RP5172.106	NinjaBE	Sep 6	6-7pm	Th	\$125

RP5172.110	NinjaBE	Sep 15	8am-9am	Sa	\$125
RP5172.113	NinjaBE	Oct 17	6-7pm	W	\$125
RP5172.117	NinjaBE	Oct 18	6-7pm	Th	\$125
RP5172.121	NinjaBE	Oct 27	8am-9am	Sa	\$125
<u>12-14 yrs Classes: 6</u>					
RP5172.103	NinjaBE	Sep 5	7-8pm	W	\$125
RP5172.107	NinjaBE	Sep 6	7-8pm	Th	\$125
RP5172.111	NinjaBE	Sep 15	9-10am	Sa	\$125
RP5172.114	NinjaBE	Oct 17	7-8pm	W	\$125
RP5172.118	NinjaBE	Oct 18	7-8pm	Th	\$125
RP5172.122	NinjaBE	Oct 27	9-10am	Sa	\$125

School's Out with NinjaBE

Looking for something unique & exciting to do when school is out? One day of fun-filled attractions include Ninja Warrior Obstacle Racing, Interactive Boulder Games, and much more. Don't be an iPhone zombie, get out, get fit, have fun at NinjaBE!

6-14 yrs Classes: 1

RP5181.101	NinjaBE	Sep 10	9am-4pm	M	\$65
RP5181.102	NinjaBE	Oct 19	9am-4pm	F	\$65

Winter Break Program with NinjaBE

1, 2, or 3 days of fun-filled with our Ninja Warrior Obstacle Courses and dodgeball. This camp builds your total-body strength and develops your power, will and determination. The last day of camp features a NinjaBE Games competition to determine the crowning camp champion.

6-14 yrs Classes: 1

RP5182.102	NinjaBE	Dec 26	9am-4pm	W	\$65
RP5182.103	NinjaBE	Dec 27	9am-4pm	Th	\$65
RP5182.104	NinjaBE	Dec 28	9am-4pm	F	\$65

6-14 yrs Classes: 3

RP5182.101	NinjaBE	Dec 26	9am-4pm	W-F	\$195
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Adult

Obstacle Racing Training Class with NinjaBE

Learn how to master popular American Ninja Warrior Obstacles. Our experienced instructors help you train your muscles to glide through challenging NinjaBE Obstacles. Objectively measure your improvement by timed runs thru our Ninja Warrior Obstacle Course lanes. (No class 10/31, 11/21, 11/24.)
Classes: 6

RP5173.101	15-49 yrs	NinjaBE	Sep 5	7-8pm	W	\$125
RP5173.103	15-49 yrs	NinjaBE	Sep 15	9-10am	Sa	\$125
RP5173.104	15-49 yrs	NinjaBE	Oct 17	7-8pm	W	\$125
RP5173.106	15-49 yrs	NinjaBE	Oct 27	9-10am	Sa	\$125
RP5173.102	50 yrs +	NinjaBE	Sep 5	7-8pm	W	\$125
RP5173.105	50 yrs +	NinjaBE	Oct 17	7-8pm	W	\$125

Pickleball flickr

For more info on programs, classes, leagues, and tournaments, visit www.howardcountymd.gov/pickleball.

After-School Pickleball

Pickleball is the fastest growing sport in America! This new sport is a combination of badminton, tennis, and ping-pong. Instructors teach the basic rules and skills of this fun and exciting sport through a engaging curriculum. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

7-10 yrs Classes: 6

RP6832.101	Atholton ES	Sep 17	4-5pm	M	\$54
RP6832.102	Thunder Hill ES	Sep 21	4:10-5:10pm	F	\$54

Running

Youth Distance Runners

Don't miss out on your opportunity to train this winter! Join Recreation & Parks, Howard County Junior Striders and Bullseye Running for this new indoor training program offering runner specific training and conditioning. Add this program to your already existing running schedule and transform yourself into the complete balanced runner and athlete. Each participant receives a t-shirt. Info: Will Dunmore, 410-313-1697 or wdunmore@howardcountymd.gov.

7-18 yrs Classes: 8

RP6953.201	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Jan 12	6:30-8pm	Sa	\$99
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Soccer flickr

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Youth Instructional

U.K. Elite Petite Soccer

This is a mini-taste of the U.K. Elite experience! Hour-long programs of soccer fun and games are designed to introduce the youngest of players to the greatest of games. The emphasis is on having fun with a soccer ball. Parent involvement is encouraged at times. (No class 9/19, 11/20.) Info: Susan Markovitz, 410-313-4674 or samarkovitz@howardcountymd.gov.

2-3 yrs Classes: 6

RP6710.101	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 26	9:30-10:30am	W	\$105
RP6710.102	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 20	9:30-10:30am	Th	\$105
RP6710.103	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 20	10:30-11:30am	Th	\$105
RP6710.104	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 15	9-10am	Sa	\$105
RP6710.105	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 11	5-6pm	Tu	\$105
RP6710.106	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 11	6-7pm	Tu	\$105
RP6710.107	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 12	5-6pm	W	\$105
RP6710.108	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 12	6-7pm	W	\$105
RP6710.109	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 13	4:45-5:45pm	Th	\$105

2-3 yrs Classes: 5

RP6710.110	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 6	10:30-11:30am	Tu	\$90
RP6710.111	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 6	1-2pm	Tu	\$90

3-5 yrs Classes: 6

RP6710.112	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 26	10:30-11:30am	W	\$105
RP6710.113	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 20	9:30-10:30am	Th	\$105
RP6710.114	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 20	10:30-11:30am	Th	\$105
RP6710.115	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 15	10-11am	Sa	\$105
RP6710.116	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 11	5-6pm	Tu	\$105
RP6710.117	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 11	6-7pm	Tu	\$105
RP6710.118	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 12	5-6pm	W	\$105
RP6710.119	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 12	6-7pm	W	\$105
RP6710.120	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 13	4:45-5:45pm	Th	\$105
RP6710.121	Western Regional Pk	Sep 26	1:30-2:30pm	W	\$105

3-5 yrs Classes: 5

RP6710.122	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 6	10:30-11:30am	Tu	\$90
RP6710.123	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 6	1-2pm	Tu	\$90

Please bring a reusable water bottle to class.

CONCUSSION & SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST INFO

Read concussion and sudden cardiac arrest information on page 70. Review of this information is required by law before you are allowed to register for youth sports programs.

Mighty Kickers Soccer

GOAL! Coaches provide a high-energy, fun introduction to soccer. Mighty Kickers uses a creative, age-appropriate curriculum to introduce basic soccer skills to kids including dribbling, passing and shooting while providing an entertaining and friendly atmosphere! Parents are encouraged to follow the coach's instructions to assist in the games and activities. Info: Amanda Bartell, 410-313-1694 or abartell@howardcountymd.gov.

3-4 yrs Classes: 6

RP6705.101	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 17	9:30-10:15am	M	\$75
RP6705.102	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 18	12:30-1:15pm	Tu	\$75
RP6705.103	Waterloo ES	Sep 18	5-5:45pm	Tu	\$75
RP6705.104	Cedar Lane Pk-West	Sep 12	10:30-11:15am	W	\$75
RP6705.105	Veterans ES	Sep 20	6-6:45pm	Th	\$75
RP6705.106	Guilford ES	Sep 22	9:30-10:15am	Sa	\$75
RP6705.107	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 22	1:30-2:15pm	Sa	\$75
RP6705.108	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 5	12:30-1:15pm	M	\$63

3-4 yrs Classes: 5

RP6705.109	Talbott Springs ES	Nov 5	6-6:45pm	M	\$63
RP6705.110	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 13	12:30-1:15pm	Tu	\$63
RP6705.111	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Nov 14	12:30-1:15pm	W	\$63
RP6705.112	Clemens Crossing ES	Nov 8	5-5:45pm	Th	\$63
RP6705.113	Hollifield Station ES	Nov 10	10:30-11:15am	Sa	\$63
RP6705.114	Dayton Oaks ES	Nov 10	1:30-2:15pm	Sa	\$63

Kiddie Soccer

Are you ready to play the world's most popular game? Boys and girls, learn basic skills such as dribbling, trapping, passing, shooting, defense and team play, all in a fun and encouraging environment. Meet on the field. (No class 10/3, 11/19-22.) Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

5-7 yrs Session 1 Classes: 6

RP6700.101	Bushy Pk ES	Sep 17	5-6pm	M	\$54
RP6700.102	Clemens Crossing ES	Sep 17	4:55-5:55pm	M	\$54
RP6700.103	Hammond ES	Sep 18	4:40-5:40pm	Tu	\$54
RP6700.104	Guilford ES	Sep 18	5-6pm	Tu	\$54
RP6700.107	Waterloo ES	Sep 20	5-6pm	Th	\$54
RP6700.108	Stevens Forest ES	Sep 20	4:40-5:40pm	Th	\$54

5-7 yrs Session 1 Classes: 5

RP6700.105	Gorman Crossing ES	Sep 26	5-6pm	W	\$45
RP6700.106	Talbott Springs ES	Sep 26	4:20-5:20pm	W	\$45

5-7 yrs Session 2 Classes: 6

RP6700.109	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 5	5:05-6pm	M	\$50
RP6700.112	Rockburn ES	Nov 8	4:30-5:30pm	Th	\$54

5-7 yrs Session 2 Classes: 5

RP6700.110	Clarksville ES	Nov 13	5-6pm	Tu	\$45
RP6700.111	Gorman Crossing ES	Nov 14	5-6pm	W	\$45

U.K. Elite Soccer Technical Programs flickr

Do you want to take your skills to the next level by learning from some of the finest British soccer coaches? Boys and girls, learn from one of the best professional youth soccer coaching companies in the country. This fantastic learning experience uses age-appropriate curricula and expert instruction. Emphasis on sound fundamental techniques and skills along with a firm understanding of the game. Info: Susan Markovitz, 410-313-4674 or samarkovitz@howardcountymd.gov.

5-6 yrs Classes: 6

RP6706.101	Centennial Pk	Sep 13	5:45-6:45pm	Th	\$105
RP6706.102	Centennial Pk	Sep 14	5:45-6:45pm	F	\$105
RP6706.103	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 15	11am-noon	Sa	\$105

7-10 yrs Classes: 6

RP6706.104	Centennial Pk	Sep 13	5:45-6:45pm	Th	\$105
RP6706.105	Centennial Pk	Sep 14	5:45-6:45pm	F	\$105
RP6706.106	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 15	11am-noon	Sa	\$105

After-School Soccer flickr

Boys and girls, learn and improve basic skills such as dribbling, trapping, shooting, passing, defense and team play. Coaches use a variety of drills, games and scrimmages to make learning fun and exciting. (No class 10/3, 11/19-22.) Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

8-10 yrs Session 1 Classes: 6

RP6701.101	Bushy Pk ES	Sep 17	3:55-4:55pm	M	\$54
RP6701.102	Clemens Crossing ES	Sep 17	3:50-4:50pm	M	\$54
RP6701.103	Hammond ES	Sep 18	3:35-4:35pm	Tu	\$54
RP6701.104	Guilford ES	Sep 18	4-5pm	Tu	\$54
RP6701.107	Waterloo ES	Sep 20	4-5pm	Th	\$54
RP6701.108	Stevens Forest ES	Sep 20	3:35-4:35pm	Th	\$54

8-10 yrs Session 1 Classes: 5

RP6701.105	Gorman Crossing ES	Sep 26	4-5pm	W	\$45
RP6701.106	Talbott Springs ES	Sep 26	3:15-4:15pm	W	\$45

8-10 yrs Session 2 Classes: 6

RP6701.109	Meadowbrook Ath Comp	Nov 5	4:10-5:05pm	M	\$50
RP6701.112	Rockburn ES	Nov 8	3:25-4:25pm	Th	\$54

8-10 yrs Session 2 Classes: 5

RP6701.110	Clarksville ES	Nov 13	4-5pm	Tu	\$45
RP6701.111	Gorman Crossing ES	Nov 14	4-5pm	W	\$45

Youth Leagues

Fall Youth Soccer League

Boys and girls, have fun playing soccer while learning the fundamentals. The Department forms teams, which **practice once per week on a weeknight, beginning the week of August 28**. One-hour games on Saturdays, starting September 15, between 9:30am-3pm. Shin guards are required. Fee includes participation award, soccer jersey and soccer ball from Play It Again Sports in Ellicott City. Coaches contact participants regarding practice days/times one week prior to the start of the program. Volunteer head coaches are needed and their children receive a discount. Individual registrations only, no team entries. Registration deadline is August 10. Info: Susan Markovitz, 410-313-4674 or samarkovitz@howardcountymd.gov.

4 yrs Meadowbrook Pk Classes: 8 Sep 15 9:30am-3pm Sa

RP5701.101	\$90	RP5701.102 (Head Coach's Child)	\$60
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5-6 yrs Meadowbrook Pk Classes: 8 Sep 15 9:30am-3pm Sa

RP5701.111	\$90	RP5701.112 (Head Coach's Child)	\$60
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7-8 yrs HC Ctr for the Arts Classes: 8 Sep 15 9:30am-3pm Sa

RP5701.121	\$90	RP5701.122 (Head Coach's Child)	\$60
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Winter Indoor Soccer League

Boys and girls, play soccer indoors while learning the basic skills of the sport. The Department forms teams. Fee includes soccer jersey, socks and participation trophy. Sneakers and shin guards required. Individual registrations only, no team entries. This is a Sunday afternoon-only program. No weekday practices. Volunteer coaches are needed. Head coach's child receive a discount. Registration deadline is December 7. (No class 2/3.) Info: Susan Markovitz, 410-313-4674 or samarkovitz@howardcountymd.gov.

4 yrs Harper's Choice MS Jan 6 Classes: 8

RP5702.201	Noon-7pm Su \$84	RP5702.202 (Head Coach's Child)	\$54
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5-6 yrs Harper's Choice MS Classes: 8

RP5702.211	Noon-7pm Su \$84	RP5702.212 (Head Coach's Child)	\$54
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7-8 yrs Harper's Choice MS Classes: 8

RP5702.221	Noon-7pm Su \$84	RP5702.222 (Head Coach's Child)	\$54
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CONCUSSION & SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST INFO

Read concussion and sudden cardiac arrest information on page 70. Review of this information is required by law before you are allowed to register for youth sports programs.

Instructional Soccer League

Improve your fundamentals with small-sided games. Enjoy drills and scrimmages. Practice for four weeks, then play four games. Fee includes t-shirt. Shin guards required. Info: Brian Wyman, 410-313-4705 or bwyman@howardcountymd.gov.

5 yrs Beginner-6 yrs Classes: 8

RP6702.101	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 22	1:15-2:15pm	Sa	\$80
RP6702.102	Forest Ridge ES	Sep 22	1:15-2:15pm	Sa	\$80
RP6702.103	Hollifield Station ES	Sep 22	1:15-2:15pm	Sa	\$80
RP6702.104	Talbott Springs ES	Sep 22	1:15-2:15pm	Sa	\$80

6 1/2 yrs Advanced - 8 yrs Beginner Classes: 8

RP6703.101	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 22	2:30-3:30pm	Sa	\$80
RP6703.102	Forest Ridge ES	Sep 22	2:30-3:30pm	Sa	\$80
RP6703.103	Hollifield Station ES	Sep 22	2:30-3:30pm	Sa	\$80
RP6703.104	Talbott Springs ES	Sep 22	2:30-3:30pm	Sa	\$80

8 yrs Advanced-10 yrs Beginner Classes: 8

RP6704.101	Dayton Oaks ES	Sep 22	3:45-4:45pm	Sa	\$80
RP6704.102	Forest Ridge ES	Sep 22	3:45-4:45pm	Sa	\$80
RP6704.103	Hollifield Station ES	Sep 22	3:45-4:45pm	Sa	\$80
RP6704.104	Talbott Springs ES	Sep 22	3:45-4:45pm	Sa	\$80

Adult Leagues

Adult Soccer Leagues

Shin guards are required. Rules: www.howardcountymd.gov/soccer. Info: Patrick McGinnis, 410-313-4716 or pmcginnis@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Fall League County Parks & HS Synthetic Turf Fields Classes: 11

RP5700.101	Aug 21	6:30-11pm	Tu	\$375	Co-rec
RP5700.102	Aug 23	6:30-11pm	Th	\$375	Co-rec
RP5700.103	Aug 24	6:30-11pm	F	\$375	Men's
RP5700.104	Aug 26	8am-4pm	Su	\$375	Men's
RP5700.105	Aug 26	4-10pm	Su	\$375	Women's

18 yrs + Winter League Classes: 8 (Spring league starts late March.)

RP5700.201	Jan 8	6:30-11pm	Tu	\$375	Co-rec
RP5700.202	Jan 13	8am-2pm	Su	\$375	Men's

Softball

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Table Tennis

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Tennis

- Info: Krista Billingsley, 410-313-4637 or kbillingsley@howardcountymd.gov.

Youth

Parent/Child Tennis with Shantha Chandra

Parents and children, learn how to work together to develop & improve tennis skills. Same parent should attend each week for consistency in learning.

3-6 yrs Classes: 6

RP6842.102	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 10	9:30-10:15am	M,W	\$85
RP6842.103	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Oct 8	9:30-10:15am	M,W	\$85

7-14 yrs Classes: 6 Saturday class rain makeup is Sunday.

RP6842.101	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 8	12:15-1:15pm	Sa	\$85
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Play Time Tennis with Shantha Chandra

Learn tennis and have fun with others while working on balance, agility and reaction time. Bring a junior-sized racket (19", 21" or 23"). Weekday classes have rain makeup on Fridays.



3-6 yrs Classes: 6 Saturday class rain makeup is Sunday.

RP6847.101	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 8	8:15am-9am	Sa	\$65
RP6847.102	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 10	10:15-11am	M,W	\$65
RP6847.103	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 11	1-1:45pm	Tu,Th	\$65
RP6847.112	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Oct 8	10:15-11am	M,W	\$65
RP6847.113	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Oct 9	1-1:45pm	Tu,Th	\$65

5-6 yrs Classes: 6

RP6847.104	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 14	4:45-5:30pm	F	\$65
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NEW! Youth Tennis - Parent/Child

Our youngest beginners, with the help of a parent, learn and develop the basic tennis skills through fun exercises and games. Same parent should attend each week for consistency in learning. Instructor: Peter Atanasson.

4-6 yrs Classes: 6

RP6865.101	Blandair Pk	Sep 17	5-5:45pm	M,W	\$85
RP6865.102	Blandair Pk	Oct 8	5-5:45pm	M,W	\$85

Beginner Parent/Child Tennis with the Topspin Pro

Learn how to use the Topspin Pro training device to accelerate learning with your child while having fun with the professionally certified PTR instructors. This is an action-packed bonding experience! Loaner rackets provided during class. Adult and child must register together.

5-8 yrs Classes: 5

RP6852.101	Rockburn Branch Pk	Sep 29	2-3pm	Su	\$81
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Cardio Fast Start Tennis for Kids

PTR and Cardio Certified professional instructors from Baltimore Tennis Patrons take you through an action-based group warm up, cardio and cool down, followed by the Fast Start play-to-learn method. The combination of Cardio and the Fast Start method is the ideal way for kids to learn and play tennis. Guaranteed to get a great workout! Loaner racquets provided.

5-8 yrs Beginner Classes: 5

RP6851.101	Rockburn Branch Pk	Sep 28	5-6pm	F	\$89
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9-14 yrs Advanced Beginner Classes: 5

RP6851.102	Rockburn Branch Pk	Sep 28	6-7pm	F	\$89
RP6851.103	Rockburn Branch Pk	Sep 28	7-8pm	F	\$89

10-14 yrs Advanced Beginner Classes: 5

RP6851.104	River Hill HS	Sep 29	9-10:30am	Sa	\$96
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Fast Start 8 & Under Tennis Play Club

Join professionally trained instructors for the Fast Start 8 and Under Play Club. If you've ever asked, "When can I just play?" This is it! Purely games and activities using the hottest kid-friendly Quick Start games and specialty equipment in town. All play, no formal instruction, just fun! Learning takes place through exploration, discovery and repetitive practice.

5-8 yrs Classes: 5

RP6853.101	Rockburn Branch Pk	Sep 30	4:30-5:30pm	Su	\$81
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Junior GRIPS Challenge

Join professionally trained instructors in this 11-level progressive program that incentivizes and rewards kids. Like karate, ability levels are distinguished by colors (white grips for beginners; black for masters). Players receive a colored over-grip for their racquet to match their skill level. Games and drills correspond with players grip color and skills. This is a certified GRIPS program. Players receive a password for access to their personal GRIPS web page where they view tips, videos, drills and insights to further their tennis knowledge and gauge their progress relative to other players.

5-14 yrs River Hill HS Classes: 5

RP6854.101 Jr. White/Beg. Sep 29 Noon-1pm Sa \$104

RP6854.102 Jr. Gold/Adv. Beg. Sep 29 1-2pm Sa \$104

10-15 yrs River Hill HS Classes: 5

RP6854.103 Jr. Dark Green/Int. Sep 29 2-3:30pm Sa \$113

10 & Under Tennis with Shantha Chandra

Drills, games, instruction and QuickStart tennis techniques designed by the USTA are used for beginning players to learn tennis fundamentals, balance, and coordination skills. Bring a junior-size racket (23" to 25").

6-8 yrs Classes: 6 Saturday class rain makeup is Sunday.

RP6840.101 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 8 9-10am Sa \$60

RP6840.102 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 10 5:45-7pm M,W \$76

RP6840.111 Cedar Lane Pk-East Oct 8 5:30-6:30pm M,W \$60

9-10 yrs Classes: 6 Saturday class rain makeup is Sunday.

RP6840.103 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 8 10-11am Sa \$60

RP6840.104 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 10 4:30-5:45pm M,W \$76

RP6840.113 Cedar Lane Pk-East Oct 8 4:30-5:30pm M,W \$60

School's Out TGA Premier Youth Tennis Clinic

The U.S. Tennis Assoc. Mid-Atlantic Section (USTA MAS) present TGA Premier Youth Tennis clinics are unforgettable experiences by combining expert instruction, daily matches and exciting activities. Clinic includes station-based instructions, athletic development, rules and etiquette and character development lessons, discussions on STEM concepts in tennis, fun games, and match play. Tennis equipment provided (e.g. racquets, balls, pop up nets) and students receive prizes. For new and novice tennis players, but all levels welcome. Must complete waiver: <https://tinyurl.com/USTAMASWAIVER>.

6-11 yrs Day: 1

RP6877.101 Centennial Lane ES Oct 19 9am-4pm F \$84

RP6877.102 Cradlerock ES Oct 19 9am-4pm F \$84

RP6877.111 Centennial Lane ES Nov 7 9am-4pm W \$84

RP6877.112 Cradlerock ES Nov 7 9am-4pm W \$84

RP6877.131 N Laurel Comm Ctr Oct 19 9am-4pm F \$84

RP6877.132 N Laurel Comm Ctr Nov 6 9am-4pm Tu \$84

Tennis Essentials

Learn and improve your basic skills in group and match play. Beginners learn the forehand, the backhand, volleys, serving and scoring. Advanced beginners learn consistent stroke production, baseline serving, volleys, and play short sets with no add scoring. Games and drills teach skills and create excitement. Instructors: Peter Atanasson (.101-.106) and Lan Tran (.111-.115).

6-8 yrs Classes: 6

RP6862.111 Blandair Pk Sep 15 9-10am Sa \$84

8-10 yrs Classes: 6

RP6862.101 Blandair Pk Sep 17 6-7pm M,W \$84

RP6862.103 Centennial Pk-West Sep 21 5-6pm F \$84

RP6862.105 Blandair Pk Oct 8 6-7pm M,W \$84

RP6862.112 Blandair Pk Sep 18 6-7pm Tu \$84

RP6862.114 Blandair Pk Sep 20 6-7pm Th \$84

11-14 yrs Classes: 6

RP6862.102 Blandair Pk Sep 17 7:15-8:15pm M,W \$84

RP6862.104 Centennial Pk-West Sep 21 6:15-7:15pm F \$84

RP6862.106 Blandair Pk Oct 8 7:15-8:15pm M,W \$84

RP6862.113 Blandair Pk Sep 18 7:15-8:15pm Tu \$84

RP6862.115 Blandair Pk Sep 20 7:15-8:15pm Th \$84

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TGA Premier Youth Tennis

(Before & After School)

The U.S. Tennis Assoc. Mid-Atlantic Section (USTA MAS) TGA Premier Youth Tennis is the first and only national tennis enrichment program in the country. Develop tennis skills utilizing kid-friendly equipment in a play-to-learn style that gets you rallying and having fun right away. Learn enrichment skills such as sportsmanship, math, science, technology, history, and while advancing through five-levels. Parents receive progress reports. Program is taught by USTA-trained coaches inside the school's gym. All tennis equipment provided. Loaner racquets available; however, students may purchase a take home racquet on the first day of class. Must complete waiver: <https://tinyurl.com/USTAMASWAIVER>. Fee includes prizes, wristband, and student handbook.

6-11 yrs After School Classes: 8

RP6876.101 Bollman Bridge ES Sep 27 3:10-4:10pm Th \$120

RP6876.102 Centennial Lane ES Sep 20 3:20-4:20pm Th \$120

RP6876.103 Clemens Crossing ES Sep 28 3:50-4:50pm F \$120

RP6876.104 Ducketts Lane ES Sep 21 3:25-4:25pm F \$120

RP6876.105 Elkridge ES Sep 17 4-5pm M \$120

RP6876.106 Fulton ES Sep 25 4-5pm Tu \$120

RP6876.107 Gorman Crossing ES Sep 28 4-5pm F \$120

RP6876.108 Hammond ES Sep 25 3:35-4:35pm Tu \$120

RP6876.109 Hollifield Station ES Sep 25 3:20-4:20pm Tu \$120

RP6876.110 Ilchester ES Sep 24 4-5pm M \$120

RP6876.111 Manor Woods ES Sep 24 3:20-4:20pm M \$120

RP6876.112 Northfield ES Sep 20 3:15-4:15pm Th \$120

RP6876.113 Pointers Run ES Sep 12 4-5pm W \$120

RP6876.114 Pointers Run ES Sep 20 4-5pm Th \$120

RP6876.115 St. John's Lane ES Sep 26 3:20-4:20pm W \$120

RP6876.116 Talbott Springs ES Sep 28 3:15-4:15pm F \$120

RP6876.117 Thunder Hill ES Sep 27 4-5pm Th \$120

RP6876.118 Triadelphia Ridge ES Sep 26 3:15-4:15pm W \$120

RP6876.119 Waverly ES Sep 25 3:50-4:50pm Tu \$120

RP6876.120 Waverly ES Sep 26 3:50-4:50pm W \$120

6-11 yrs Before School Classes: 8

RP6876.131 Atholton ES Sep 24 8:10-9:10am M \$120

RP6876.132 Guilford ES Sep 27 8:10-9:10am Th \$120

RP6876.133 Veterans ES Sep 28 8:10-9:10am F \$120

RP6876.134 Waterloo ES Sep 25 8:10-9:10am Tu \$120

RP6876.135 West Friendship ES Sep 28 3:50-4:50pm F \$120

RP6876.136 Bushy Park ES Sep 26 8:05-9:05am W \$120

Girls Rule the Court

with Shantha Chandra **flickr**

Beginners learn the fundamentals of tennis with an emphasis on social interaction with other girls that are new to tennis. While progressing through the basics of tennis, develop sportsmanship and self-confidence on and off the court. Enjoy tennis drills and games while helping each other by sharing your learning experiences and by relying on individual talents in the sport.

8-12 yrs Classes: 6

RP6846.101 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 8 4:30-5:30pm Sa \$48

Youth Beginner Tennis

This introductory tennis class uses Quick Start tennis nets to reduce the court size to help make the learning process easier and more enjoyable. Learn the forehand, the backhand, volleys, serving and scoring. Weekly games and drills help teach basic skills and create an exciting environment. Rain makeups added to the end of season. PTR Certified Instructor: Jim Ferrera (.101-.103). Instructor: Lan Tran (.111).

8-10 yrs Classes: 6

RP6859.101 Western Regional Pk Sep 15 8:45-9:45am Sa \$84

RP6859.102 Centennial Pk-West Sep 17 5-6pm M \$84

RP6859.103 Centennial Pk-West Sep 19 5-6pm W \$84

RP6859.111 Blandair Pk Sep 15 10:15-11:15am Sa \$84

To register, visit www.howardcountymd.gov/rap or call 410-313-PARK (410-313-7275).

Junior Tennis for Everyone

Join professionally trained instructors from Baltimore Tennis Patrons (BTP) for action-packed instruction and play! Players are grouped according to ability. Junior Beginner programs feature the games-based approach to learning and applying the fundamentals in play situations. Loaner racquets available.

9-15 yrs Junior Beginner Classes: 5

RP6850.101 Rockburn Branch Pk Sep 30 3-4:30pm Su \$104

Youth Advanced Beginner Tennis

Designed for advanced beginners already able to consistently hit the ball over the net and ready to take their game to the next level with serves and match play. Includes refresher drills to help improve all facets of your game. Rain makeups added to the end of season. These courts do have lights. PTR Certified Instructor: Jim Ferrera (.101-.103). Instructor: Lan Tran (.111).

10-13 yrs Classes: 6

RP6860.101 Western Regional Sep 15 10-11a Sa \$84

RP6860.102 Centennial Pk-West Sep 18 5-6pm Tu \$84

RP6860.103 Centennial Pk-West Sep 20 5-6pm Th \$84

RP6860.111 Blandair Regional Pk Sep 15 11:30am-12:30pm Sa \$84

Team Tennis/Match Play with Shantha Chandra

Players should have fairly consistent strokes with medium pace shots, be able to rally and serve from baseline and keep score. Players must have some knowledge of volleys and lobs. Teams are decided and each team plays matches against other teams (doubles, singles, and mixed doubles).

11-14 yrs Classes: 6

RP6858.102 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 8 3-4:30pm Sa \$84

11-18 yrs Classes: 6

RP6858.101 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 14 5:30-7pm F \$84

Tennis Lessons with Shantha Chandra

Learn and improve your basic skills in group and match play. Advanced beginners learn consistent stroke production, baseline serving, volleys, and play short sets with no add scoring. Saturday classes rain makeup on Sunday afternoons.

11-16 yrs Classes: 6

RP6841.101 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 8 11am-noon Sa \$60

RP6841.102 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 11 6-7pm Tu,Th \$60

RP6841.103 Cedar Lane Pk-East Oct 9 5:45-6:45pm Tu,Th \$60

TGA Premier Middle School Tennis

The U.S. Tennis Assoc. Mid-Atlantic Section (USTA MAS) proudly presents TGA Premier Youth Tennis, the first and only national tennis enrichment program in the country. Develop tennis skills utilizing smaller tennis courts and youth-friendly equipment in a play-to-learn style that gets you rallying and having fun right away. In addition, learn relevant character development and STEM skills such as sportsmanship, respect, math, science, technology, and more. Middle school programs include a focus on match play, team competition, and strategies to prep you for your future high school tennis team. Program is taught by USTA-trained and background-screened coaches. All tennis equipment is provided during the program (e.g. racquets, balls, pop up nets) and everyone receives prizes. Ideal for new and novice tennis players. You must complete the USTA's waiver before participation in any program <https://tinyurl.com/USTAMASWAIVER>.

11-14 yrs Classes: 8

RP6876.141 Clarksville MS Sep 26 3:15-4:15pm W \$120

RP6876.142 Bonnie Branch MS Sep 27 3-4pm Th \$120

Please bring a reusable water bottle to class.



Beginners to advanced players, come onto the courts and have fun. Perfect swings, approaches, game play and more!

Junior USA Team Tennis with Shantha Chandra

Advanced beginner and intermediate players, refresh basic ground strokes, volleys, serving, overheads, lobs and scoring. Then enjoy match-play singles and doubles/court positions. Baseline serving is a must since play begins from the baseline. Rain makeup dates are Sunday afternoons.

12-18 yrs Classes: 6

RP6849.101 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 8 1:30-3pm Sa \$84

High School Development Team Tennis with Shantha Chandra

Advanced beginners and intermediate players, improve basic skills, including volleys, serving, scoring and ground strokes. Participate in match play against players of similar ability (singles and doubles).

13-18 yrs Classes: 6

RP6855.101 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 11 4:30-6pm Tu,Th \$84

RP6855.102 Cedar Lane Pk-East Oct 9 4:15-5:45pm Tu,Th \$84

Youth Intermediate Tennis

Want to make the high school team or improve your position? This program prepares you for match play tennis. Learn how to hit forehands, backhands, serving, volleying and scoring. Rain makeups added to the end of season. Classes are for advanced beginners. PTR Certified Instructor: Jim Ferrera.

14-18 yrs Classes: 6

RP6863.101 Centennial Pk-West Sep 18 6:15-7:15pm Tu \$84

RP6863.102 Centennial Pk-West Sep 20 6:15-7:15pm Th \$84

Adults

Mom's Tennis Swings with Shantha Chandra

Learn the basics or fine-tune your game. Lessons include drills and match Play. Intermediate players work on serves, volleys, overheads, lobs (singles and doubles). No babysitting available. Rain makeup is Friday.

18 yrs + Beginner/Advanced Beginner Classes: 6

RP6848.101 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 10 11am-12:30pm M,W \$105

RP6848.102 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 11 11:30am-1pm Tu,Th \$105

RP6848.103 Cedar Lane Pk-East Oct 8 11am-12:30pm M,W \$105

RP6848.104 Cedar Lane Pk-East Oct 9 11:30am-1pm Tu,Th \$105

18 yrs + Intermediate/Advanced Classes: 6

RP6848.105 Cedar Lane Pk-East Sep 11 10-11:30am Tu,Th \$105

RP6848.106 Cedar Lane Pk-East Oct 9 10-11:30am Tu,Th \$105

Morning Tennis Swings

Learn the basics or fine-tune your game. Lessons include drills and match Play. Intermediate players work on serves, volleys, overheads, lobs (singles and doubles). No babysitting available. Rain makeup is Monday. PTR Certified Instructor: Jim Ferrara.

18 yrs + Intermediate/Advanced Classes: 6

RP6845.101	Western Regional Pk	Sep 18	10-11:30am	Tu,Th	\$105
RP6845.102	Western Regional Pk	Oct 9	10-11:30am	Tu,Th	\$105

Sunday Swings Tennis with Shantha Chandra

Beginners to advanced players enjoy learning and improving all tennis skills and court positions through drills, small-group games and match play (singles and doubles).

18 yrs + Beginner/Advanced Beginner Classes: 4

RP6844.101	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 9	Noon-1:30pm	Su	\$71
RP6844.102	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Oct 14	Noon-1:30pm	Su	\$71

18 yrs + Intermediate Classes: 4

RP6844.111	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 9	10:30am-noon	Su	\$71
RP6844.112	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Oct 14	10:30am-noon	Su	\$71

18 yrs + Advanced Classes: 4

RP6844.121	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Sep 9	9-10:30am	Su	\$71
RP6844.122	Cedar Lane Pk-East	Oct 14	9-10:30am	Su	\$71

Tennis Lessons

Whether you are looking to fine tune your skills or work on advanced tennis tactics, we have a program for you. These small group lessons are filled with instructional drills, fun games, and match play.

PTR Certified Instructor: Gene Pierelli (sections .101-.106 & .113-.114)

Instructor: Peter Atanasson (sections .120)

PTR Certified Instructor: Jim Ferrara (sections .111-.117)

18 yrs + Beginner Classes: 6

The beginner class consists of fundamental tennis lessons in a clinic format for players who are past the introduction stage and wish to continue to improve on skills learned in previous beginner class. Player should be able to judge where the ball is going when receiving, sustain a slow-paced rally with other players of similar ability, and begin to develop strokes with proper technique. This class corresponds to an NTRP level rating of strong 2.0 to 2.5.

RP6843.101	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 8	Noon-1pm	Sa	\$97
RP6843.102	Rockburn Branch Pk	Sep 12	6-7pm	W	\$97
RP6843.111	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 17	6:15-7:15pm	M	\$97
RP6843.112	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 19	6:15-7:15pm	W	\$97
RP6843.120	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 21	7:30-8:30pm	F	\$97

18 yrs + Advanced Beginner Classes: 6

The advanced beginner class consists of clinic format with drills and games focusing on serve, volleys, overheads, consistency and control. This player is consistent when hitting basic ground strokes but is not comfortable with execution of all strokes.

NTRP rating of strong 2.5-3.0.

RP6843.103	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 15	10:45-11:45am	Sa	\$97
RP6843.104	Rockburn Branch Pk	Sep 13	6-7pm	Th	\$97
RP6843.113	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 18	7:30-8:30pm	Tu	\$97
RP6843.114	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 19	7:30-8:30pm	W	\$97

18 yrs + Intermediate Classes: 6

The intermediate class consists of clinic format with drills and games. Should be comfortable with footwork, consistency and execution of stroke, volleys, serves, approach, lobs and passing shots. High energy class involves reflex volleys and transition games as well as match play. NTRP rating of 3.0-3.5.

RP6843.105	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 15	9:30-10:30am	Sa	\$97
RP6843.106	Rockburn Branch Pk	Sep 12	7:15-8:15pm	W	\$97
RP6843.115	Western Regional Pk	Sep 15	11:15am-12:15pm	Sa	\$97
RP6843.116	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 17	7:30-8:30pm	M	\$97
RP6843.117	Centennial Pk-West	Sep 20	7:30-8:30pm	Th	\$97

Tennis & On Court Yoga

A yoga tennis class for all levels of fitness and tennis players. Yoga takes place on the tennis courts for convenience and outdoor pleasure. This yoga tennis workout is designed to build cardio and muscle fitness, deep relaxation, improve tennis skills, and provide the stretches you need to prevent injury. Warm up with yoga stretches and low-level workouts followed by intermediate level cardio on court activities devoted to tennis principles, technique, and action-packed games based on drills. The class ends with a yoga workout and cool-down. Loaner rackets provided during class. Bring your own yoga mat. PTR & Cardio Certified Instructor: Sondra Moore.

17 yrs + Intermediate Classes: 5

RP6856.101	River Hill HS	Sep 29	10:30am-noon	Sa	\$104
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Volleyball

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Instructional Volleyball

Designed for first-time players and those wanting to improve fundamental skills, this program includes skill development through drills and instruction. Schedule includes instructional practices and activities with a focus on basic skills. Info: Carson Nickell, 410 313-4720 or cjnickell@howardcountymd.gov.

6 yrs (All levels) – 7 yrs (Beginner) Classes: 8

RP5893.101	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 15	1:15-2:25pm	Sa	\$99
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7 yrs (Advanced) – 9 yrs (Beginner) Classes: 8

RP5893.102	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 15	2:30-3:40pm	Sa	\$99
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8½ years (Advanced) – 10 yrs (All levels) Classes: 8

RP5893.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 15	3:45-4:55pm	Sa	\$99
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Boys Instructional Volleyball Clinic

Join Ofer Levy and his coaching staff as they instruct players on the fundamentals of the game and progress towards the finer points. This clinic is designed to aide players in developing techniques and fine tuning their volleyball skills. Focus is on passing, hitting, setting and serving. Don't miss out! Info: Carson Nickell, 410-313-4720 or cjnickell@howardcountymd.gov.

8-12 yrs Classes: 8

RP5892.107	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 7	5-6pm	F	\$89
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13-16 yrs Classes: 8

RP5892.117	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 7	5-6pm	F	\$89
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Volleyball Skills Development

Practice makes perfect! This program is for new players who enjoy this exciting sport and want to learn the basics. Individual players, develop skills and improve existing ones. Lessons emphasize sportsmanship, skill technique, hard work and fun in a team atmosphere. Learn skills such as passing, hitting, setting and serving. (No session 11/21,11/22.) Info: Carson Nickell, 410-313-4720 or cjnickell@howardcountymd.gov.

8-12 yrs Classes: 8

RP5892.101	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Sep 10	6-7:30pm	M	\$130
RP5892.102	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Sep 5	6-7:30pm	W	\$130
RP5892.103	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 6	6-7:30pm	Th	\$130

8-12 yrs Classes: 6

RP5892.104	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Nov 5	6-7:30pm	M	\$99
RP5892.105	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Nov 7	6-7:30pm	W	\$99
RP5892.106	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 8	6-7:30pm	Th	\$99

13-16 yrs Classes: 8

RP5892.111	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Sep 10	7:30-9pm	M	\$130
RP5892.112	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Sep 5	7:30-9pm	W	\$130
RP5892.113	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Sep 6	7:30-9pm	Th	\$130

13-16 yrs Classes: 6

RP5892.114	N Laurel Comm Ctr	Nov 5	7:30-9pm	M	\$99
RP5892.115	Gary J Arthur Comm Ctr	Nov 7	7:30-9pm	W	\$99
RP5892.116	Roger Carter Comm Ctr	Nov 8	7:30-9pm	Th	\$99

Volleyball Performance Clinic with CVC

Join coaches from the Columbia Volleyball Club (CVC) and other top coaches in the area as they instruct players in the finer points of the game. This clinic is designed to aide players in fine tuning their volleyball skills to assist them in playing on their future high school and club volleyball teams. Don't miss out! Info: Carson Nickell, 410-313-4720 or cjnickell@howardcountymd.gov.

9-14 yrs Classes: 14

RP5892.141 Meadowbrook Ath Comp Sep 10 7-9pm M,W \$215

Youth Volleyball League

Experience the excitement and gain the skills necessary to enjoy this popular Olympic sport. This program provides a "GoodSports" atmosphere, bringing together aspiring players weekly in an effort to learn and practice the fundamentals of the game. Our ASEP-Certified Volunteer Coaches provide a quality recreation environment for our players, parents, coaches, and spectators. Weekly practices are scheduled between 5-9pm on a weeknight at a Recreation & Parks indoor facility depending on team placement and coach availability. Matches are on Sundays between 10am-4pm at Meadowbrook. Players are placed on teams after a skills evaluation scheduled for Sunday, September 9. Specific details on one-hour matches/practice times are communicated after each season's skills evaluation. The YVL is for novice to experienced players who wish to learn more about the sport. Coach requests are not accepted, please communicate any nights you are unavailable for practice upon registering. Registration deadline is September 2. Info: Carson Nickell, 410-313-4720 or cjnickell@howardcountymd.gov.

10-11 yrs Sep 9 10am-4pm Su Weeks: 8

RP5891.101 \$139 RP5891.102 (Head Coach's Child) \$30

12-13 yrs Sep 9 10am-4pm Su Weeks: 8

RP5891.111 \$139 RP5891.112 (Head Coach's Child) \$30

14-16 yrs Sep 9 10am-4pm Su Weeks: 8

RP5891.121 \$139 RP5891.122 (Head Coach's Child) \$30

Co-Rec Volleyball League

The volleyball leagues play 6-on-6, with rosters up to 15 players. Schedule includes eight matches and all teams participate in postseason playoffs. Fee includes scheduling, facility, awards, and administration. Teams are required to pay game official fees of \$20 on the court at each match. Register by September 2. Info: Carson Nickell, 410-313-4720 or cjnickell@howardcountymd.gov.

18 yrs + Weeks: 9

RP5890.101 Roger Carter Comm Ctr Sep 9 4-10pm Su \$220

Drop-In Co-Rec Volleyball

Join athletes of all ability levels for volleyball scrimmages. Choose the night and location that best works for you. Games are self-officiated and site staff help form balanced teams. Driver's license required for admission. Refer to the "Get Active Package" on page 9 to save money and participate in additional athletic opportunities. Some gyms may be canceled due to insufficient registration or attendance. (No session 9/10, 9/19, 11/6.) Info: Susan Markovitz, 410-313-4674 or samarkovitz@howardcountymd.gov

18 yrs + Classes: 10

RP6901.101 Burleigh Manor MS Sep 17 8-10pm M \$44

RP6901.102 Burleigh Manor MS Sep 13 8-10pm Th \$44

RP6901.103 Forest Ridge ES Sep 12 8-10pm W \$44

RP6901.104 Rockburn ES Sep 11 8-10pm Tu \$44

RP6901.105 Meadowbrook Ath Comp Sep 12 9-11pm W \$44

CONCUSSION & SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST INFO

Read concussion and sudden cardiac arrest information on page 70. Review of this information is required by law before you are allowed to register for youth sports programs.



Boys and girls, speed and strength are improved through wrestling drills and matches. Come out and have fun!

Co-Rec Volleyball

Join senior men and women of various volleyball skill levels for competitive and fun volleyball play. Previous volleyball experience helpful. Prior to registration, visit the Meadowbrook Athletic Complex and see if this program is for you. The program meets twice a week. The fee is based on when you register and is good through the end of the calendar year. Info: Curtis Gore 410-313-7281 or cgore@howardcountymd.gov

55 yrs + Classes: 31

RP5592.101 Meadowbrook Ath Comp Sep 4 10:30am-12:30pm Tu,F \$19

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Howard County Vipers Wrestling

Learn valuable skills and techniques while participating in the Vipers Wrestling Program. The Vipers Program offers an opportunity to compete at a level which best fits each child's need. Vipers Wrestling offers three programming levels: (1) Clinic for the beginner in a non-competitive environment, one practice per week, no weekend commitment; (2) Recreation for both beginners and intermediate level wrestlers in a semi-competitive environment, two to three practices per week, matches on Saturdays; (3) Advanced for a competitive environment, three practices per week, matches on Saturdays or Sundays. Practices are at Howard County high schools - please visit www.howardcountymd.gov/wrestling for a complete list of locations and times. (No Practices or matches 11/22, 11/23, 12/24-1/1, 1/21, 2/18.)

Info: Amy Patton, 410-313-4718 or apatton@howardcountymd.gov.

4-8 yrs Clinic Classes: 59

RP5950.201 Nov 13 6-8pm M-F \$85

6-15 yrs Recreational Classes: 59

RP5950.211 Nov 13 6-8pm M-F \$165

7-16 yrs Advanced Classes: 48

RP5950.221 Nov 2 6-8pm M,W,F \$190

To register, visit
www.howardcountymd.gov/rap
or call 410-313-7275.



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General Information

Program information provided in this Guide is tentative. Consult www.howardcountymd.gov/rap for the most up-to-date information.

Registration

Program fees are established by determining the cost of supplies; fees for instructors, rentals, registrations and program administration; and the price of marketing in order to deliver high quality programs at an affordable price. See our "How to Register" section on page 2.

***Waiver:** In consideration of my (and/or my child's) participation in this activity, I hereby release and discharge the Organization, and its representatives, successors, and assigns, from any and all liability arising from accident, injury, and illness that I (he/she) may suffer as a result of my (our) participation in this activity. I (we) also will follow the rules and regulations set by the Organization and above named parties. Parent or guardian must sign for anyone age 18 and under. I do hereby grant and give these groups the right to use my or my child(s) photograph or image in conjunction with other persons or objects and presentations, advertising, publicity, and promotion relating thereto.

We reserve the right to cancel or postpone any program or activity due to inclement weather or low enrollment. A service fee will be imposed for all returned checks and could result in refusal of future participation. A service fee will be applied to all refunds and withdrawals with the exception of those due to program cancellation or medical/illness. There are no refunds for missed sessions. At a minimum a 20% administrative fee applies to refund requests; additional fees may be deducted. At least two weeks advance notice is required to avoid additional charges. Summer Camps have a different refund policy and can be found in the current year brochure. See brochure or website for details about all refunds and policies.

Participation

Only individuals who are registered may participate. Where age or grade restrictions apply, "age" usually refers to the age of the participant at the start of the program and "grade" to current grade. If any other standards apply, they will be noted in the Guide. We reserve the right to question grade or age and may request a birth certificate or other proof of eligibility.

For many programs, registrants or parents/legal guardians of minor registrants will be required to provide a signed Participant Information form at the first meeting. The purpose of this form is to ensure that participants willingly share responsibility for their own safety. All activities contain certain inherent risks that each participant assumes. Due to the strenuous nature of some activities, each participant is urged to consult his or her physician concerning his or her fitness to participate. Please note that many programs will require confirmation that immunizations are current.

A parent or legal guardian must accompany a child each day for both check-in and pick-up. It is your responsibility to sign your child in at the beginning of the program and sign your child out immediately following the program. Staff is not responsible for your child before or after scheduled activities. A fee may be assessed if your child is not picked up at the close of the program.

Children must remain with the program for the full period scheduled. To leave before a day's program is complete, a child must have written parental consent or the parent/legal guardian must pick the child up after notifying the program director. No refunds will be issued for time missed for this or from dismissals resulting from disciplinary action.

In determining whether child is ready to participate in these activities, **please be aware that our staff does not change diapers.**

Filled Programs

Space is limited in most activities — early registration is advised. If a program is filled when we receive your registration, we will contact you; you may then cancel your application at no charge, select an alternate program or place your name on a waiting list. There is no fee to be placed on a waiting list.

Canceled Programs

We don't like to cancel programs, but each one must meet its minimum enrollment. Don't be disappointed — register early and bring a friend! An activity may also be canceled due to circumstances beyond our control, such as the unavailability of an instructor or location. If a program is canceled, registrants will be contacted immediately and a full refund credited.

Financial Assistance

The Howard County Department of Recreation & Parks can provide limited financial assistance to Howard County residents who qualify. In addition to a completed application, you must provide one of the following:

- Verification of qualifying household income with your 2017 Federal Tax Transcript and
- Any proof of assistance from the Department of Social Services.

Funds are limited and a deposit of 25% of the program fee is required at least one month prior to start date with the application/registration form. Call 410-313-4659 for additional information and guidelines.

Make a Donation

You can make a tax-deductible contribution to our Scholarship Fund by www.howardcountymd.gov or call 410-313-4683. You may also donate online through our online registration site (click on "donation" button).

Refunds

We recognize that you may wish to withdraw for a variety of reasons, but our policy encourages early decisions so as to not affect other customers or our ability to efficiently deliver the programs. At a minimum, all refund requests are subject to a 20% administrative fee. Additional fees may be assessed to recover costs associated with the program. Class programs require at least two weeks advance notice of withdraw to avoid the additional fees. Trip refunds may reflect pre-paid admissions; but the option to transfer your ticket may be considered. Competitive sport program time frame for refunds reflects planning time and team selections; check refund details on website. There are no refunds for missed sessions.

Inclement Weather & Program Status Information

Check with your instructor about exceptions to the following circumstances and make-up dates for canceled sessions.

- If it rains, only some outdoor classes will be canceled.
- When it appears that lightning is a potential threat to participants, scheduled outdoor activities or activities in progress may be canceled.
- If it snows on a weekday and the snow emergency plan is in effect in Howard County, scheduled programs will be canceled. Drop-in programs at Recreation & Parks facilities may run, call the facility inclement weather number, 410-313-4452.
- If it snows on a weekend and the snow emergency plan is in effect at 7am, programs held in public schools for that day will be canceled. If a snow emergency is declared after 7am, programs in schools in progress may be completed but those later in the day will be canceled.

- If schools are closed or dismissed early due to inclement weather, programs in schools will not be held.

Inclement Weather/Program Status Lines

Programs (Events, Trips, Selected Sports,* Outdoor Rec, Child Care & Therapeutic Rec)	410-313-4451
Gary J. Arthur Comm Ctr, Meadowbrook Athletic Complex, N Laurel	
Comm Ctr, Robinson Nature Ctr & Roger Carter Comm Ctr	410-313-4452
Belmont Manor & Historic Park	410-313-0200
All School Fields	410-313-6827
Alpha Ridge, Western Regional	410-313-4372
Blandair	410-313-3673
Cedar Lane	410-313-4453
Centennial	410-313-4454
Cypressmede & Hollifield	410-313-4457
Dayton Oaks Parks & Schooley Mill	410-313-4458
Dickinson, Hammond, Hawthorn,	
Heritage Programs	410-313-0421
Huntington & Martin Road	410-313-4459
East Columbia Library, Guilford	
Savage & N Laurel Fields	410-313-4456
Howard County Center for the Arts,	
Hollifield Station, Rockburn Branch & Skills Park, Troy,	
Waterloo & Worthington Off-Leash	410-313-4455
Meadowbrook	410-313-2727

Snack Policy

Many of our children's activities request that you supply a snack or lunch. Due to health concerns, nut products are not served or permitted.

Rules of Conduct

The following rules must be observed while participating in Recreation and Parks programs. Specific rules may be added for individual programs and needs.

- All tobacco products are prohibited in buildings, school property or County parks
- No food or beverages in unauthorized areas; glass containers are prohibited.
- No soliciting or loitering
- No interference with employee or volunteer duties
- No harassment, bullying, or inappropriate or indecent conduct, language, or clothing
- No unauthorized use of alcohol, drugs, intoxicants or weapons
- No parking in unauthorized areas or driving/parking on field areas
- No alteration or installation of equipment (such as basketball hoops, fences or lining)
- No defacing of property (indoors or outdoors)
- No conduct that may jeopardize the safety of others.

Accommodations for People with Disabilities

The Department of Recreation & Parks is a recognized leader in opportunities for individuals with disabilities and is pleased to comply with Americans with Disabilities Act (A. D. A.) regulations.

Individuals with disabilities are encouraged to register for general recreation programs. With your registration, please include information regarding your disability and any accommodations needed. We will make every effort to provide reasonable accommodations on an individual basis. Interpretive services are available for people who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities. These and other accommodations can be provided

to Howard County residents at no additional cost. To assure the best experience for all participants, we need your accommodation request along with your registration a minimum of two weeks in advance of the first program date.

For transportation, contact HT Ride Paratransit Certification at 1-800-270-9553. For more information, contact Therapeutic Recreation Manager Susan Potts at 410-313-4628 or spotts@howardcountymd.gov.

Other Policies

Additionally, the Department reserves the right to

- Cancel a program for any reasonable cause;
- Deny registration or entry into a program when it deems necessary to assure public safety;
- Suspend a child from a program with no refund, after notifying a parent of disciplinary problems;
- Photograph programs, participants and volunteers for publicity purposes; and/or
- Adjust any program details printed in this brochure including fees, locations, instructors, times, days and starting dates.

Public Meetings

For information about Howard County Recreation & Parks Board meetings, call 410-313-4640. Your comments are welcome at these sessions. Park Board members are Ms. Sylvia Ramsey (Chair), Mr. Edward Coleman (Vice Chair), Mr. John R. Byrd (Recording Secretary), Mr. Bruce Gist (Board of Education Designee), Mr. Edward Coleman (Planning Board Designee), Ms. Joanne Kiebler, Mr. Thomas Franklin, Mr. Daryl Anthony, and Ms. Anna Boyd (Student Member).

Full-time, Part-time, Contingent and Contractor Employment

For an up-to-date listing of jobs within the Department, as well as a listing of jobs within Howard County Government, visit www.howardcountymd.gov and click on the "I want to" tab.

The Department of Recreation & Parks also needs dynamic leaders to develop and instruct programs such as art, crafts, cooking, dance, drama, language, music, science, sports or just plain fun! Do you have an interesting idea for a course or other program that could be offered to Howard County residents through the Recreation & Parks Department? We'd like to hear about it. For an informational letter, application and proposal form, visit www.howardcountymd.gov/rap and click on "Forms and Publications" or call 410-313-4639.

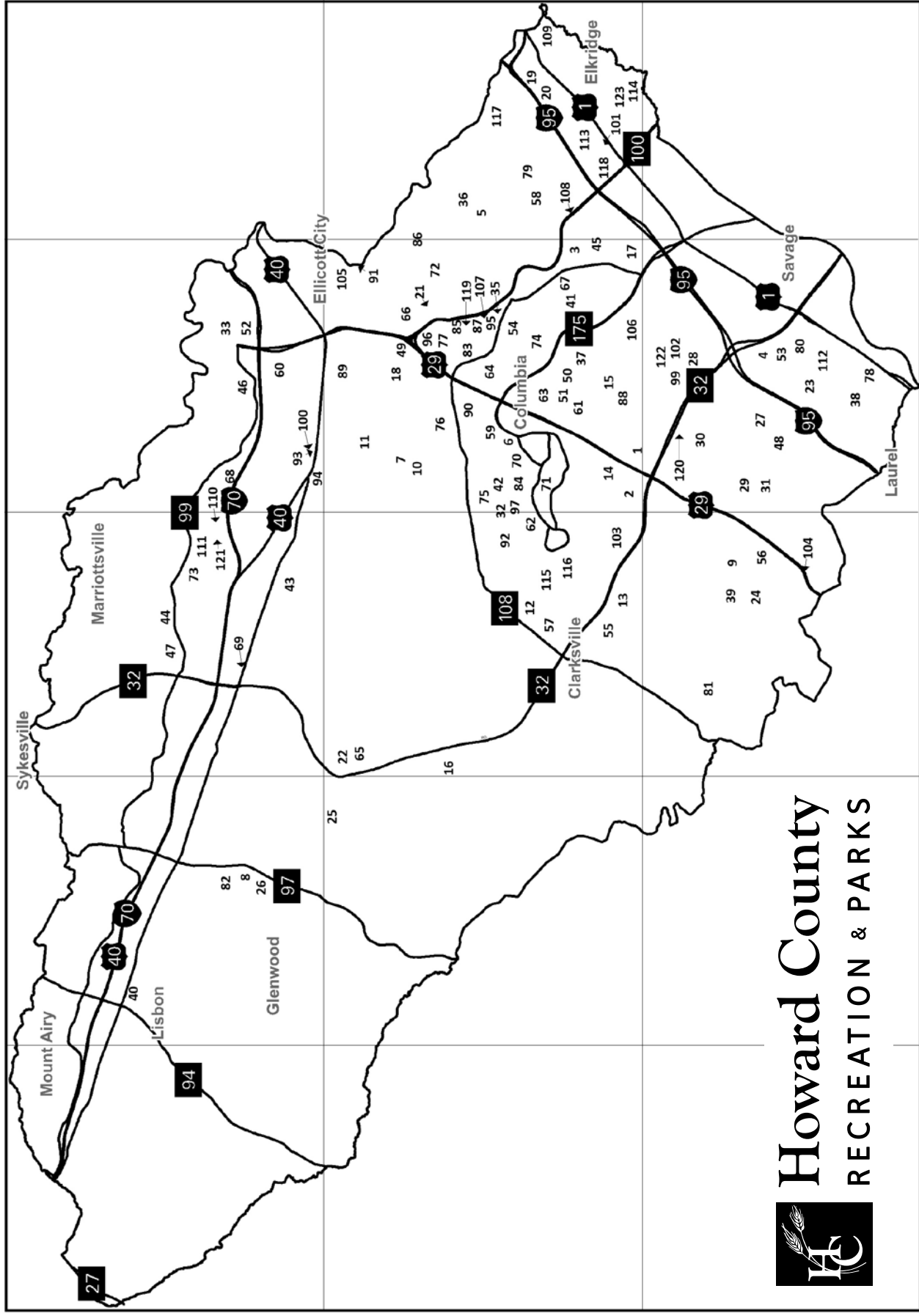
Volunteering

Volunteer opportunities are available in several areas including preschool and youth programs, sports, senior adult programs, natural resources, outdoor recreation and special events. If you'd like to share your time and talent, visit www.hocovolunteer.org to view opportunities and register.

Sponsorships

There are many opportunities to become involved in the activities of Howard County Recreation & Parks through sponsorships and advertising. For sports, outdoor and fitness sponsorships, call Al Harden at 410-313-4652. For special events or other recreation sponsorships, call Phil Bryan at 410-313-1668.

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Program Locations

Schools

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Bollman Bridge ES	4 (c-4)
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Bryant Woods ES	6 (b-4)
Burleigh Manor MS	7 (b-4)
Bushy Park ES	8 (a-2)
Cedar Lane School	9 (c-3)
Centennial HS	10 (b-4)
Centennial Lane ES	11 (b-4)
Clarksville ES	12 (b-3)
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Clemens Crossing ES	14 (b-4)
Cradlerock ES	15 (b-4)
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Waverly Mansion	111 (a-3)



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Registration Form

Voice/Relay: 410-313-7275

Fax: 410-313-4658

www.howardcountymd.gov/rap

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RP _____ . _____

Course Number	Program Title	Participant Name
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Address if Different From Payer		Date of Birth

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PAYMENT OPTIONS

Cash/Check

☐ Cash \$ _____ ☐ Check # _____ \$ _____

Make checks payable to **Director of Finance; Howard County**

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Name of Payer _____ Date of Birth _____ Home Phone _____

Home Address: Street _____ Work Phone 1 _____ Cell Phone _____

City/State/Zip _____ Email Address _____

Completing the registration process today includes an understanding that you agree to all waivers and policies of Howard County Recreation & Parks. These waivers and policies can be found in our seasonal guides, online at www.howardcountymd.gov/recandparksforms and on the bottom of your receipt. If you are unable to review this in our activity guide or online, our registration office can provide you written copies upon request.

Signature _____ Date _____

Does the participant have a disability or any special accommodation request that we need to know about?

If yes, please explain. _____

Does the participant have an allergy that we need to know about?

If yes, please explain. _____



LEARN TO COMPOST!

Join Howard County Master Gardeners for composting demonstrations, discussion and free* compost bins.

Demonstrations are held at Alpha Ridge Landfill, Miller Branch Library and the Robinson Nature Center.

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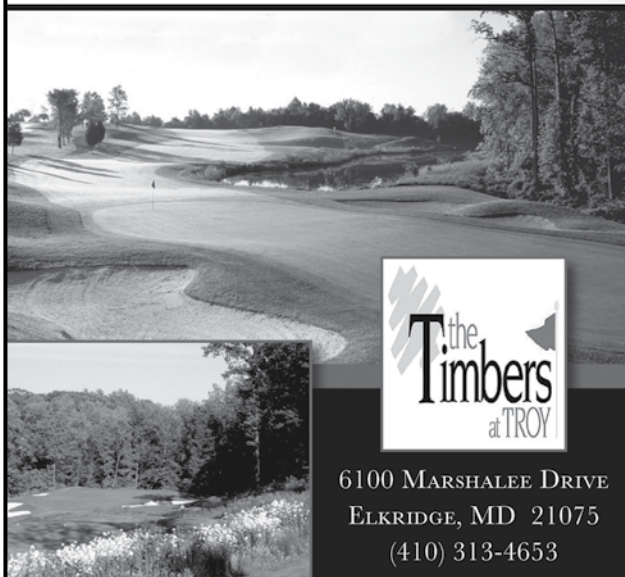
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RP6601.101 Foursome \$340 RP6601.102 Individual \$85

15th Annual Banquet

Tuesday, October 16, 5pm - Turf Valley Resort

Recognize and thank those who are making a difference thorough sports by honoring Hall of Fame inductees and GoodSports coaches, administrators, players and officials.

Info: Mike Blevins, 410-313-1691.



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